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# LEGISLATURE NOW IN SESSION

## NAVAL PARLEY READY OPEN TUESDAY

### TRIAL OF FORMER JUDGE FOR MURDER OPENS

**SPOKESMEN OF FIVE  
SEA POWERS READY  
FOR NAVAL PARLEY.**

**MEETING WITH PREMIER  
MACDONALD, RECEPTION BY  
BY KING EVENTS MONDAY**

BY BYRON PRICE  
(Associated Press Staff Writer.)

LONDON, Jan. 20.—(AP)—An earnest plea that the powers of the world take their places at the London naval arms limitation conference with a will to obtain results beneficial to mankind was made today by Henry L. Stimson, United States secretary of state, at the British government banquet preliminary to the opening of the meeting.

The American secretary spoke of the conference as one of the rare occasions of history out of which a permanent step toward peace for all nations might be given impetus.

"The chief purpose of our meeting is to transform the process of naval armament from a method of competition to one of mutual agreement and limitation," he said. "Economy is only an important by-product of such an end. Our real aim is to remove the secrecy, the rivalry, the mutual irritation which inevitably attends the present competition in armament, and to leave each nation free to have an adequate national defense which

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**Prohibition Killings  
Caused by Criticisms  
Personnel Says Doran**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Recent caustic criticism of the personnel entrusted with prohibition enforcement is blamed by prohibition commissioner, James M. Doran, as having had a large part in inducing armed resistance by violators of the law, resulting in the slaying of enforcement officers.

Doran made this statement in commenting upon the killing of F. R. Patterson and Robert K. Moncure, prohibition agents, when they entered a home at West Palm Beach, Florida, on Saturday to search for liquor.

"I regret deeply the killing of any person," the commissioner said, "but the deaths of Patterson and Moncure, who went in broad daylight to serve a search warrant upon a suspected bootlegger, were due in large part to recent inflammatory attacks upon our personnel, which leads weak-minded criminals to attack honest and efficient officers acting in performance of their sworn duty."

The first of President Hoover's proposals for improving enforcement conditions—that affecting the transfer of the prohibition unit from the treasury to the justice department—is to be considered by the house expenditures committee tomorrow. Chairman Williamson who has introduced a bill, predicts it will be reported out within a week, and leaders of the house have arranged to give it immediate consideration.

The promised vote on the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment is to be deferred until the senate has disposed of the tariff bill. Senator Blaine, who introduced a resolution to repeal the amendment, has announced he will not seek action by the senate judiciary committee, which must pass on the measure, until the tariff discussion is ended.

Doran made his comment on the Florida killings after receiving reports from E. R. Tuttle, prohibition administrator at Savannah, Georgia, under whose direction the agents were working. Tuttle said that Patterson, Moncure and two other officers went to the home of George W. Moore, with search warrants in an effort to locate smuggled liquor believed to have been hidden there.

The warrant was issued, he said, after 12 calls of whiskey had been purchased at Moore's place, where, he added, illicit liquor had been seized previously.

Doran denounced the recent criticism of the personnel of his service declaring it had jeopardized the lives of his men. He pointed out that he had forbidden the use of firearms by his agents except in defense of their lives or of the lives of their comrades. Under these instructions, he added, an enforcement agent would permit a prohibition violator to escape rather than resort to the use of firearms.

**JOHN W. BRADY  
IS CHARGED WITH  
MURDER OF GIRL**

**FORMER JUDGE OF TEXAS  
COURT OF APPEALS WENT  
ON TRIAL AUSTIN MONDAY**

COURT ROOM, AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—(AP)—The trial of John W. Brady, former judge of the Third Court of Civil Appeals, for the killing of 28-year-old Leahia Highsmith, capitol stenographer, got under way slowly today. Indications that a jury would be difficult to obtain loomed prominently as 57 veniremen of the first panel of 147 were excused at noon through exemptions and failure to qualify.

Questioning of prospective jurors was far off at that time, and counsel for both sides agreed that when that phase came they might find still fewer jurors.

Judge J. D. Moore prepared to have the sheriff call a second panel.

During preliminary skirmishing, Brady, his gray hair carefully combed, rarely moved or spoke. Once he granted when a venireman was excused. When he came into the court room from the county jail, he half stumbled as he reached his chair and kissed his wife and sister, Mrs. D. P. White of El Paso. He held his hand to his eyes for a moment and then straightened up, keeping his face immobile for the remainder of the morning.

Parents of Victim  
A few feet away, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. B. Highsmith of Baytown, parents of the girl stabbed, the parents of the victim, with Brady's knife, sat and looked at Brady, whose counsel was headed by E. (Continued on page 7.)



These officers of the Illinois Women's Christian Temperance Union are pictured here in a Chicago hotel about to toast the tenth anniversary of prohibition in water. From left to right they are Miss Elizabeth Judas, secretary; Mrs. Helen H. Hood, state president; Mrs. Jennie H. Legard, Cook county president, and Mrs. Hazel Rosenbaum, Cook county vice president.

**QUORUM PRESENT IN  
BOTH HOUSES WHEN  
CALLED TO ORDER**

**HOUSE VOTES TO MAKE IN-  
SPECTION PRISON SYSTEM  
AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE**

AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—(AP)—There was a quorum in both houses when the fourth called session of the 41st legislature met today. Speaker W. S. Barron of Bryan called the house to order, and Lieut. Governor Barry Miller welded the gavel in the senate.

One hundred of the 150 members of the house answered roll call, and there were 29 senators present.

The legislature, already with 144 working days—a regular and three called sessions—its credit, was convened on proclamation of Governor Moody who submitted penitentiary concentration and reorganization and proposed changes in the fee system. The third special session adjourned last July 7.

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**YOUTH IS KILLED  
WHILE ALLEGEDLY  
BURGLARIZING STORE**

LIBERTY, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Wilbur Honey, 19, was shot to death in the L. Friedman general store at Dayton, near here, today by officers who had him in wait on a tip that the store was to be robbed.

Rube King, 17, was arrested and charged with burglary.

A third youth, said to have been a lookout, escaped.

Deputy Sheriff Geo. White, who with Sheriff L. V. Hightower and Deputy Jack L. Smith, were the ambushers, told of the shooting today.

"We had a tip that the store was to be robbed and had been watching it for some time," he said.

"Saturday night some one tried to bore a hole in the floor and was scared away. Early this morning we were in the store and some one tried to tear the bottom panel off the back door. They got a small hole opened and then came back later with a saw. We were in the dark and could see a man crawl through."

"Put 'em up," the sheriff yelled.

"The man whirled in a crouching position, evidently trying to run for protection behind a nearby counter," the sheriff said.

"Deputy Eckols and I let go with our guns. He was shooting a 20 gauge pump gun and I had a .44 revolver. The boy gave one cry 'Oh Lordy' and died in five minutes."

"The other boy surrendered at once. He told us there was another outside on the lookout, but he got away before we could get outside."

Both of the youths lived at Dayton.

**REPARATIONS FOR  
DUAL MONARCH ARE  
FINALLY SETTLED**

THE HAGUE, Jan. 20.—(AP)—The protocol adopting the Young plan was signed this afternoon at the second Hague reparations conference.

The document, which puts an end to ten years of contention and negotiations over the reparations problem consisted of 113 pages with fourteen annexes and twenty separate agreements between the different powers.

It scales down the total reparations Germany must pay from the enormous claims presented at the peace conference totalling \$100,000,000,000 to a little less than \$9,000,000,000 payable in fifty-nine years.

It brings to an end the sanctions as authorized by treaty of Versailles in the eventuality of a default by Germany and throws the burden on deciding when Germany is in default upon the court of international justice. Only after this court has decided there is cause for action can any of Germany's creditors proceed to coerce measures.

THE HAGUE, Netherlands, Jan. 20.—(AP)—After more than 24 hours of continuous session, the committee on non-German reparations finally solved the conflict between Hungary and Austria and their reparations creditors today.

The result was a compromise.

Hungary agreed to pay her creditors 13,500,000 gold crowns a year after 1933 until 1966 while Austria pays 1,000,000 gold crowns a year during the same period.

The claims and counter claims, apart from reparations, were settled through two pools to which the big powers contributed. The first amounting to 240,000,000 gold crowns for land claims and the second 100,000,000 gold crowns to be applied specially to the claims of the church and the Hapsburgs. This may be increased if necessary to cover the judgments of The Hague court of arbitration.

Hungary is released from the financial control of the league of nations.

**MAGAZINE WRITER  
SERIOUSLY SHOT IN  
DEFYING BANDITS**

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(AP)—A man described by police as a bootlegger was sought today as the instigator of a robbery attempt in which Garret Garrett, magazine writer, was shot and seriously wounded in a residence restaurant.

Garrett was shot Saturday night when he ignored a command to sit still as three men entered a restaurant on West Fifteenth street.

As the leaders ordered a dozen diners to "stay where you are," Garrett rose, and jamming his hands into his pockets, advanced toward the intruders.

"What's this, what's this?" he asked.

The robber fired four times, and the gunmen fled.

**AIR LINER STRUCK  
HILLSIDE, BROKE UP  
AND THEN BURNED**

ALL BUT THREE OF SIXTEEN  
OCCUPANTS BURNED BE-  
YOND RECOGNITION

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 20.—(AP)—"A peculiar weather mystery" was blamed by T. A. T. air line officials here today for the crash near San Clemente last night of their tri-motored Ford monoplane which killed fourteen passengers and two pilots.

The fall was due, the officials held, to "one of those peculiar weather mysteries which blew in rain from the Pacific in the particular area" of the accident.

F. F. Preeg, flight superintendent at the Glendale terminal of the lines, said the pilot of the plane apparently was blinded by the rain and fog which hovered about the ocean side and San Clemente bluffs. He said it was apparent an emergency landing was being sought on account of flying conditions and disoriented eye-witness reports of missing motors.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Sixteen charred and mangled bodies lay in the morgue at Oceanside today as gruesome reminders of the crash of a Giant T. A. T. Maddux air liner while en route to Los Angeles.

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**Broken Valve  
Causes Water  
Shortage Here**

A broken valve on a six-inch drain line in the bed of Mesquite Creek may cause Corsicana to be without water until repairs can be made, officials of the Corsicana water department announced Monday afternoon.

The valve was split by the extreme cold and repairs were started Monday morning, but the crews were forced to abandon their efforts by the rain which started water flowing in the creek bed. Work will be started again as soon as the water is low enough, and can be completed in about three hours' time.

If the repairs cannot be made before the supply of water in the west side standpipes is exhausted, Corsicana will be without water for a few hours. The east side reservoir is being held as an emergency supply in case of fire.

**BROKEN VALVE IN  
WATER LINE FIRST  
SERIOUS TROUBLE**

SLIGHT RISE IN TEMPER-  
ATURE FAILS TO DISSIPATE  
ICE AND SNOW

First trouble in the Corsicana water system was encountered Sunday when it was found that a valve in a drain line near Mesquite creek had burst. Repairs were started immediately, but some doubt existed as to whether or not they could be completed Monday.

A reserve of 225,000 gallons of water for use in case of fire had been stored in the east side standpipe, but water department officials announced that when the supply in the west side standpipes was exhausted the city would be without water until the repairs were completed.

Corsicana received some relief over the weekend from the history-making sub-zero temperature suffered Saturday, but ice and rain combined Monday to cause almost equal discomfort. The weather outlook for the next twenty-four hours is not overly encouraging with possibilities of more rain, sleet and snow, with falling temperatures.

Considerable evidences of Friday's snowstorm remained Monday, changed to a muddy brown by the rain, but still offering treacherous footing to the unwary pedestrian or automobilist.

Many drivers received sudden shocks Monday morning when they started off on the pavement, appearing to be wet as a result of fog, the streets were in reality covered with a thin layer of ice that resulted in a number of falls, and frequent skids.

Under ordinary conditions, the low reading of the thermometer Continued on Page 7)

**WINTER STALKED  
ACROSS OKLAHOMA  
IN RENEWED DRIVE**

HEAVY SNOWFALL STARTS  
MONDAY AFTER WEEK-  
END INTERLUDE

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Winter stalked across Oklahoma's stage again today after a week end interlude.

Winter's added engagement, coming in the heels of the most severe blizzard to visit Oklahoma in 18 years, plunged the state into another battle with the elements.

A heavy snowfall, which started in the morning, continued today, would continue over much of the state until tonight, accompanied by declining temperatures, the weather bureau here predicted.

In Oklahoma, it was a half inch of snow fell before 9 a. m., bringing the total depth of ice, snow and sleet to more than a foot.

Enters Fourteenth Day.  
DENVER, Colo., Jan. 20.—(AP)—The cold weather which has swept this section from Montana to New Mexico, entered its fourteenth day today, claiming another victim in Wyoming with the finding of the body of a sheepherder. The mercury went down to several degrees below zero here last night.

Moderates at Chicago.  
CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—(AP)—The cold wave had not yet lost its grip, not until it had cost the lives of five persons, three of them infants. The temperature well under zero Saturday night, and today a blizzard, sun. Weather no colder than above was the worst the weatherman could see in the immediate future.

More Levee Breaks.  
MEMPHIS, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Smashing its way with alarming regularity, the Mississippi river broke through a dike 10 miles south of Marked Tree, Ark., today and continued its fan-like sweep down its banks. It was the tenth break on the stream within six days.

MIDSHIPMEN TO MARINES.  
ANNAPOLIS, Jan. 20.—(AP)—The best fighters among midshipmen are proposed to be among those boys who are the first to fight and get the situation in hand. Hubert Williams, once a member of the light weight champion; Paul Moret, captain of the naval academy boxing team; Whitey Lloyd and Harold Bauer, football backs, intend to join the marines upon graduation.

BELGIAN COUNTESS TO WED.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(AP)—A countess who was a lady in waiting to Marie Jose before she left Belgium to become Crown Princess of Italy, is also to be a bride. Countess Michelle D'Arco, formerly engaged to Pierre (Cliché) Merillon of Park avenue and Paris, who inherited wealth made in New York department store and Long Island realty. He is now cruising with the W. K. Vanderbilts.

GALLI-CURT LIVES COLE.  
NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—(AP)—America's Gall-Curt, who is making the Metropolitan Opera for concert work, expects to play a lot of golf in the Catskills with her husband, Harold Gall-Curt. They expected to build a winter home at Lake Tahoe, Cal., near a lot of golf courses.

**Eight Miners  
Killed Sunday  
In Mine Blast**

BECKLEY, W. Va., Jan. 20.—(AP)—An explosion roared through an entry far back in the No. 1 mine of the Lilly Brook Coal company, ten miles from here yesterday, carrying death to eight miners and injuring four others. Bodies were recovered. Six of the dead were negroes. Officials said they believed the explosion was caused by a fall of slate opening a pocket of gas.

**SELECT SAN ANGELO**  
AMARILLO, Jan. 20.—(AP)—San Angelo was named the 1931 convocation city for the North Texas convention of the Episcopal church and women's auxiliary at the annual convention here today. The Rev. A. E. Whittle of San Angelo presented the invitation.

**MINISTER TO DENMARK**  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Ralph H. Booth of Michigan, today was nominated by President Hoover to be minister to Denmark.

**EXPENDITURE OF MORE THAN  
TEN BILLION DOLLARS FOR  
CONSTRUCTION IS FORECAST**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—(AP)—An expenditure of more than ten billion dollars for public and private construction work throughout the nation is expected during the coming year by Secretary Lamont. Responding to President Hoover's campaign for stabilizing business and stimulating construction, the commerce department has been collecting and co-ordinating data on prospective building in all parts of the country.

These reports indicate more than seven billions will be spent in public building and maintenance and in public utility construction, an outlay that would establish a new peace time record. Expenditures for commercial and industrial structures are expected to exceed three billion dollars on the basis of last year's building.

Complete returns have been received from 26 states and partial returns and estimates from all the others indicating an expenditure for public works, including those of the federal government, of approximately \$3,225,000,000.

It is estimated that public utilities, railroads and telegraph companies will spend \$3,250,000,000 for bettering their plants and equipment and that electric gas, and street railway companies will spend approximately \$410,000,000 for the maintenance of existing plants and equipment.

It is estimated that class A rail-

**NAVARRO COUNTY  
PROJECTS BEFORE  
HIGHWAY BOARD**

MAIN CONTRACT LETTINGS  
FOR TWO DAYS WILL BE  
CAUSEWAYS AND BRIDGES

AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—(AP)—With two large causeways on the "Hug-Boss" highway and three interstate bridges the principal projects on the program the highway commission met today for its first contract lettings of the new year.

The causeways, to cost approximately \$450,000 each, will be located in Calhoun and Aransas counties. Two of the bridges, to be built jointly by Oklahoma and Texas, will be across the Red River between Gainesville, Texas, and Marietta, Okla., all Ruggold, Texas, and Terral, Okla., and the other will be between Bonview, Texas, and Merryville, La. Texas and Louisiana will share the expense of that structure.

The commission also planned to award contracts on road construction projects in Jones, Taylor, Dallas and Navarro counties. All of the contracts except the Texas-Louisiana bridge and the Aransas county causeway were scheduled to be let today with the others to be awarded tomorrow.

In addition to awarding contracts estimated to aggregate more than \$2,000,000, the commission has laid plans to have delegations from 11 counties, Groups from Fayette, Gray, Reeves, Dallas, Collin, Grayson, Lynn, Lubbock, Crosby, El Paso, and Jefferson counties have signified their intention of appearing before the commission. Most of them want state aid or designations.

**Son Is Jailed  
After Mother Is  
Beaten to Death**

BOERNE, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Walter Schmidt, 21, was charged today with the murder of his mother, Mrs. Albert Schmidt, 69, whose body, beaten and mutilated, was found in her little farm home near Kendallville Sunday.

BOERNE, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Walter Schmidt, 21, whose mother, Mrs. Hubert Schmidt, 69, was found beaten to death Sunday, was placed in jail here today.

The killing was said to have occurred Friday night. No charges have been filed.

The body was discovered by other children of the old woman Sunday afternoon when they went to the house. Their suspicions were aroused when Mrs. Schmidt did not phone them for two days. It was here upon to phone her other children each night.

The mother and son lived alone on a 20-acre farm near Kendallville, thirty-five miles from San Antonio. Funeral services for the victim will be held Tuesday at Mendolia.

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**Oklahoma Opens  
Bids on Bridges**

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Bids for the construction of two free bridges over Red River, which will parallel toll bridges near Gainesville, Texas, and Terral, Oklahoma, were opened here today by the Oklahoma highway commission.

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## EARLE B. MAYFIELD ANNOUNCES PLATFORM IN ESSENTIAL POINTS

### FORMER SENATOR ANNOUNCES ED CANDIDACY FOR GOV- ERNOR OF TEXAS

AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—(Sp.)—Declaring for an elective highway commission, against an enormous state bond issue for building highways, for a modern penitentiary system on a site owned by the state and advocating substitution of other methods of obtaining revenue than through an ad valorem levy, former United States Senator Earle B. Mayfield announced his candidacy for governor of Texas today.

Mr. Mayfield has been a familiar figure in Texas politics for many years, having served on the railroad commission prior to going to the national congress. He was in the senate for one term of six years.

He said he "indulged the hope that prejudice and malice, spite and envy, hatred and jealousy may take refuge in the forgotten incidents of the past and that the campaign may be confined to a discussion of those problems that so vitally concern the welfare and happiness of our people."

**Modern Prison System**  
In his platform he declares for a modern prison system, but said he thought it "absurd to say that Texas cannot have a system unless it is located within 20 or 30 miles from the city of Austin."

"The state owns 50,000 acres of prison land, a large part of which is as fertile as the Valley of the Nile, and we should think a long while before disposing of our penitentiary lands," he said.

Declaring that in 1927 the Humble Oil company had brought in its first oil well "within sight of the Imperial farm," owned by the state as prison property, he said that in his opinion there is enough oil under this farm, "to build the most modern prison system in the United States."

**Wants Oil Test on Farm**  
"I am at a loss to know why a test for oil has not been made on the Imperial farm," Mayfield said.

"If I am elected governor of Texas, one of the first things I shall do will be to make arrangements to have this particular tract of land drilled for oil."

Continuing a discussion of the prison system, he said:  
"It is my opinion that suitable location for the construction of a modern prison system can be found on state-owned lands, yet as governor of Texas, I cannot assure a 'rule or ruin' attitude on the matter. I would be willing to locate the penitentiary system wherever the combined wisdom of the people of Texas speaking through their chosen representatives, say it should be located, providing the legislature adjusted our tax laws so that those interests now escaping taxation in the state would be made to pay their proper proportion of state taxes."

"If the penitentiary system is moved, the purchase of additional lands, together with the construction of a modern prison system, will cost between \$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000. Let those who favor this proposition tell the taxpayers of the state where and how this money will be secured."

**Opposes Statewide Bond Issue**  
Mayfield opposes a state-wide bond issue for highway construction, but said a "correlated system of highways, constructed at the earliest date and at the lowest cost, is imperative."

"The only way this can be done," he said, "is for the state to construct and maintain with state funds all designated state highways, independent of county aid, leaving to the counties the con-

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## Teague National Elects Officers For Ensuing Year

TEAGUE, Jan. 25.—(Sp.)—The stockholders of the Teague National Bank Bank held their annual meeting in the offices of the bank and re-elected the directors. At a subsequent directors' meeting all the officers were re-elected as follows:

Rev. Simmons, chairman of the board; J. B. Woods, president; W. P. Harrison, vice president; McNeill Drumwright, cashier.

The directors passed \$10,000 of the undivided profits to the permanent surplus fund, increasing it from \$30,000 to \$40,000, which, added to the capital of \$60,000, makes the capital and surplus now \$100,000.

struction and maintenance of all lateral roads.

Coming out for an elective highway commission, he said "the responsibility of discharging the affairs of such a department should not travel through the governor's office, but should go direct to the people."

He pointed out that the highway commission has upon its payroll something like 5,500 employees, "which is over five times as many as are employed in all other departments of the government combined."

**Officers Should Be Elected**  
"The elective franchise is the surest safeguard to prevent the office of highway commissioner from being subjected to corrupting and intimidating influences," Mayfield said.

"The glory of the Texas constitution has been that it repudiates the false theory that the people are not capable of electing their officers. This government was made by the people and it is theirs. Why not let them rule?"

Saying that "it is too early to pronounce the federal farm board a failure," he promised that if it should fail "to meet the situation," he would, if elected governor, "appeal to the agencies of the entire cotton growing section in the early spring of next year to enlist in the fight for economic justice and freedom."

"As governor of the state that produces over one-third of the cotton of the entire country, I would call a conference of the governors, commissioners of agriculture, representative farmers, businessmen and bankers of the cotton-growing states and agree on uniform legislation for adoption by the states that would enable us to put into effect such a plan as I have suggested or some other plan calling for uniform, simultaneous and cooperative action on the part of the states producing cotton that would liberate our cotton farmers from the shackles of economic slavery and serfdom," Mayfield said.

**Farm Board Issues**  
He advocated a constitutional amendment to permit the state to issue 35-year four-percent farm bond issues, "to be sold only as needed and the proceeds to be used in carrying out the supplemental work of the state."

He would create the "state farm board" composed of the land commissioner, the commissioner of agriculture and the attorney general, "whose duty would be to put into effect the land settlement policy as adopted by the legislature."

His plan would be to have the board market sufficient bonds with which to pay cash for the land, and then sell it to the farmers on 35 years time, taking his vendors' lien note in favor of the state at

## PARLEY IS TO OPEN A SIX - YEAR EXPERIMENT

4-1036 THE NEXT PROBABLE MILESTONE.  
By Byron Price

(Associated Press Staff Writer)  
A six-year experiment in peace-mindedness and naval economy. Thus, in a few words, may be summarized the broad objective toward which the 1930 naval conference appears to be heading as the delegates gather in London.

While many considerations have played their parts in the preliminary discussions, no closer observer can fail to see a constant, underlying effort to bring the full weight of public opinion into focus for reduction of navies under the spiritual guidance of the Kellogg peace pact, during the next half-dozen years.

Thus, if the conference which meets January 21 succeeds, 1930 is destined to become a red-letter year in naval history.

Several elements of the present situation are arguing for a six-year agreement as to building programs, rather than any serious attempt to fix ratios and limitations for a longer term.

The Washington treaty, limiting battleships, expires in 1936, and, naturally, another conference will meet then to consider its renewal and extension. The experts have decided, likewise, that 1936 is the most convenient year to bring actually into effect the proposal for parity between the United States and Great Britain; by merely letting old ships go for scrap iron as they outlive their usefulness, and not building new ones, the two navies will approach equality in most classes of vessels six years hence.

In lesser degree, a program of non-replacement would bring the other great navies under the same strength which, in 1936, might be used as a basis for a general future limitation.

At London, therefore, the powers will be asked just how near they can come to an absolute suspension of naval building in the six years just ahead. No one expects a complete six-year holiday. Some countries, including the United States, are weak in certain classes of ships, and will insist on making replacements.

But a six-year holiday is the mark at which to shoot. It seems clear, at this stage, that a general curtailment of building until 1936, rather than establishment of definite ratios like the 5-5-3 ratio, will be presented with great earnestness as the real goal of the conference.

In the case of battleships, the United States, Great Britain and Japan all would have to begin building in 1931 to maintain the ratio laid down in the Washington treaty.

If present building plans continue unmodified, these three leading sea powers will have laid down, before the end of 1935, the keels of no less than 23 new battleships. There are strong indications that they will agree at London to cancel battleship construction entirely until 1936.

The outlook as to cruisers, destroyers and submarines is not quite so bright. No treaty now limits the number of these ships, and all of the great powers are building constantly as they prepare to meet in London. Of all the types of warships, it is apparent that cruisers and submarines will be the most difficult to restrict.

Yet if ever so little can be done at London to curtail the crop of new men of war until 1936, and some standards set up thereby to end competition and uncertainty, the delegates probably will go home happy.

Then, in 1936, statesmen will, at least, have definite quantities with which to deal when they try to fix the ratios for the future. More than that, if the dream of a holiday comes true, the nations will meet in 1936 already accustomed to smaller navies, and the years of economy may make it easier to lower the limit for all of the years to come.



Heading the naval limitation delegations meeting in London, January 21—Dino Grandi, Italy (upper left); Ramsay MacDonald, Great Britain (upper right); Henry L. Stimson, United States (center); Tetsuji Kakatsuki, Japan (lower left), and Andre Tardieu, France (lower right).

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The outlook as to cruisers, destroyers and submarines is not quite so bright. No treaty now limits the number of these ships, and all of the great powers are building constantly as they prepare to meet in London. Of all the types of warships, it is apparent that cruisers and submarines will be the most difficult to restrict.

Yet if ever so little can be done at London to curtail the crop of new men of war until 1936, and some standards set up thereby to end competition and uncertainty, the delegates probably will go home happy.

Then, in 1936, statesmen will, at least, have definite quantities with which to deal when they try to fix the ratios for the future. More than that, if the dream of a holiday comes true, the nations will meet in 1936 already accustomed to smaller navies, and the years of economy may make it easier to lower the limit for all of the years to come.

## GREER IN FAVOR LETTING LOVE GO ON STATE TICKET

WILLS POINT, Jan. 25.—(Sp.)—Hon. E. M. Greer, member of the democratic executive committee from this district, says he thinks Hon. Thos. Love should have his name placed on the ticket without question. Mr. Greer thinks the people should decide on the character of man they shall have for a standard bearer. He says to refuse to place candidates names on the ticket would make a martyr of him and would in his opinion almost ensure his election.

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## SHIPMENT DAIRY CATTLE TO TEXAS TO BE RESTRICTED

### DISCOVERY IS MADE THAT MANY DAIRY CATTLE AFFLICTED WITH DISEASE

FORT WORTH, Jan. 17.—(U)—Shipment of dairy and breeding cattle into Texas was under restriction today after discovery that many dairy cattle in the state were afflicted with contagious abortion, or bang disease.

Tests made over a year's time by veterinarians of the livestock sanitary commission disclosed that 17 to 20 per cent of dairy cattle in the state were infected, that not a single large herd was free of the disease, and that dairy profits were being lessened as a result.

The quarantine ordered by Governor Moody went into effect yesterday. Under its terms, all dairy or breeding cattle, including calves six months old, must pass blood tests 21 days before being permitted to enter the state, except that cattle from herds certified to be bang abortion free may enter with out the 21-day tests. Ten other states already have instituted similar regulations, veterinarians here asserted.

So far as known here, there is no certain cure for the malady, which is believed to transmit undulant fever to those who drink milk from diseased animals.

## SOLDIERS OF ALL WARS TO HAVE GRAVE MARKERS PROVIDED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—(U)—The house of representatives adopted Tuesday an appropriation of \$1,000,000 in the army appropriation bill for the purchase of headstones for all unmarked graves of soldiers of all wars, including those of the Confederacy. During a speech by Representative Luther Johnson of the Corsicana district, in support of the provision, it developed that the sum is sufficient to provide about 10,000 headstones.

Interested persons are required to make application to the Quartermaster General of the army by blank provided for that purpose, giving the name, date of birth, organization of the soldier and other information shown, all of which is to be verified by the Quartermaster General from the war department records. The government provides the headstone and inscription, and delivers it to the railroad for transport to the unmarked grave, where it is delivered to the relatives or interested parties. Mr. Johnson said that he had about 200 applications from his district in Texas.

In speaking to the provision, Mr. Johnson said the action by congress in addition to evidence of the disappearing section, revealed that sentimental ideas continued with the federal government. Representative Simpson of Nebraska, who pointed out that the World War had ended sectionalism in the United States and expressed the hope that there would soon be a reunion of the two Civil War armies in Washington.

## Court House News

**District Court.**  
The following judgments by default were entered in the Thirtieth judicial district court for the plaintiffs Friday:

C. R. Stealy vs. Mrs. L. V. Brown, Mary Nathan vs. Gray Nathan, E. E. Sheppard vs. John K. Fear, Joe Anna Campbell vs. Percy C. Campbell, divorce decreed.

**Warranty Deeds.**  
Mrs. Emma May Gauding to Pat E. Hooks, 164 acres of the Wm. Cox survey, \$18,620.  
E. L. Shaw, et ux, to A. L. Edwards, lot 3, block 5, Eldorado addition, Dawson, \$1750.  
Mrs. Era Shaw, et vir, to R. F. Shaw, lot 3, block 5, Eldorado addition, Corsicana, \$2500.

**Marriage Licenses.**  
Everett Griffin and Onie Swafford.  
Arter Burnett and Estell Vaughn.

**Royalty Deed.**  
E. D. McMahon to Monarch Royalty corporation, 144th interest in 91 acres of the T. T. Curry survey and 47 acres of the H. H. Curry survey to Limestone and Navarro counties, \$10.

**Sheriff's Office.**  
Two were arrested for alleged drunkenness and four for gaming Friday night. Deputies Jack Floyd and J. M. Westbrook made the arrests. Sheriff Rufus Prevorse was with the other officers in one of the jails for a man said to have been intoxicated.

**County Auditor's Office.**  
The annual report of Rufus Prevorse, sheriff, for 1929 has been filed with J. M. Tullis, county auditor, and shows the following:  
Total receipts, \$23,180.01; deputies salaries, \$4958.19; conveying out-of-county prisoners, \$418.50; fees to former sheriffs, \$845.86; automobile expense, \$2197.82; office expense, \$220.93; sheriff's fees, \$3740.57; excess fees to county treasury, \$721.71.

**Justice Court.**  
One was fined on a charge of drunkenness Friday in Judge W. W. Clifton's court.

## Two Groesbeck Banks Have Named Year's Officers

GROESBECK, Jan. 18.—(SP)—Bank directors and officers have been elected for the year of two of Groesbeck's three banks. The results of the election are:

**First National Bank.** Directors: J. C. Sanders, president; G. T. Morris, vice president; G. T. Morris, cashier; Charles L. Thompson, assistant cashier; and C. E. Gregory, bookkeeper.

**Children's National Bank.** Directors: Dan Parker, L. B. Cobb, J. C. Kimble, W. W. Brown, J. E. Bunch. Officers: Dan Parker, president; J. E. Bunch, vice president; W. W. Brown, cashier; L. B. Cobb, assistant cashier; J. C. Kimble, assistant cashier.

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## LIMESTONE COUNTY 4-H CLUBS REPORT PROFIT IN COTTON

MEXIA, Jan. 17.—(U)—The 21 boys of the 4-H clubs of Limestone county produced 764 pounds of seed cotton per acre at a cost of \$3.87 per acre, yielding a profit of \$24.19 per acre last year, T. B. Lewis, county agent, says after tallying the records.

The profit was floured after deducting \$5 per acre rental, 25 cents per hour for labor, and 20 cents per hour for two-horse team, and picking and ginning at regular price.

Most of the boys used 300 pounds of fertilizer with 100 pounds of nitrate of soda.

Seven corn club boys who turned in complete records made an average of 41 bushels of corn per acre using 200 pounds of 12-4-4 and a side dressing of 100 pounds of nitrate.

Dillon Coe of LaSalle produced 65 bushels of corn by using 300 pounds of nitrate.

## INJUNCTION ORDERS VACATION PREMISES IN PURDON DISTRICT

A mandatory injunction was granted by Hawkins Scarborough, judge of the thirteenth judicial district court Friday against Mrs. Mary P. Harlan, et al, for Mrs. Mary P. Harlan, et al, ordering the immediate vacating of premises and 504 acres of land near Purdon, and directing that the proper papers be furnished the sheriff for that purpose.

The petition alleges that the controverted property had been in possession of Mrs. Mary P. Harlan, et al, for some time and that while they were absent those complained of took possession of said property and premises and had kept the petitioners from the premises with threats and with a shotgun and 22 rifle and also subjected them to assaults and had them arrested.

The mandatory injunction ordered that Mrs. Mary P. Harlan, et al, and others vacate the property and turn the same over to Mrs. Mary P. Harlan and others.

## Blankenship First To Sign 1930 Slip

DALLAS, Jan. 18.—(U)—The football season, with regard to signing athletes for this year's Dallas Steers, was well under way today with many contracts out and the first holder of last year's squad signed.

The man signed was Homer Blankenship, right-handed hurler, whose arm wasn't in good enough shape to win a lot of games last year, but was good enough to put his name on the dotted line first.

He said he expected to have an excellent season.

## Freestone Schools In Health Contest

TEAGUE, Jan. 17.—The Teague Lions club is going to award a medicine cabinet to the school that gives proof of the largest per cent of corrections of physical defects found among the pupils by the state health nurse, Miss Celia Moore, on Jan. 18.

The following schools are reported to be eligible to compete for this cabinet: Mt. Zion, Llanely, New Hope, Dew, Young, Shanks, Luna, Freestone, Cotton Gin.

## Marketing Feedstuffs In Profitable Manner

MEXIA, Jan. 17.—(Sp.)—John Scott, of Frossa community, Limestone county, is marketing his feedstuffs by feeding 133 head of Hereford calves on his farm. He is feeding grain, cotton seed meal, sorghum hay and a little sweet feed, all home grown. He intends to feed the cattle until April. It is his third year at feeding stock.

## DIED AT COLLEGE

HURDARD, Jan. 18.—J. W. Cotton died at his home in College Tuesday morning and the funeral was held at College Wednesday afternoon.

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## PRISONERS WYNN STATE FARM START FIRE IN BUILDING

HUNTSVILLE, Jan. 18.—(U)—Prisoners at the Wynne state prison farm for tubercular convicts started a fire in their mattresses and pillows, piled in a corner of the chapel building, today.

They threw on a quantity of pine wood and poured kerosene over the pile before getting out. The fire quickly was extinguished.

It was the second attempt to escape in 48 hours. The men evaded the guards by getting away during the night. A strong north wind was blowing. The chapel is the northernmost building of the four structures on the farm.

Meanwhile, the prisoners had abandoned their hunger strike begun after they had been discovered Thursday attempting to re-excavate an improvised tunnel through which about 40 convicts got away several months ago.

The only damage done by the blaze was a hole 18 inches across through the floor. Huntsville firemen were summoned, but did not arrive until the guards had put out the fire with buckets of water.

This is the ninth time in two years that buildings have been fired at the farm.

## LINEMAN SUFFERS SERIOUSLY RESULT ALL NIGHT EXPOSURE

WORTHAM, Jan. 18.—(Sp.)—A. Clifton, lineman for the Southern Pacific Lines and Western Union, is in a serious condition from exposure after working practically all night in the weather and was almost frozen when he was discovered at the depot early Saturday morning.

Attending physicians worked with him for several hours and reported him suffering considerably from shock and exposure.

Dr. K. W. Sneed, local physician, who started to Richland on a call early Friday night, stuck in the oil field, and was not able to wait about a mile to where the patient was. Both cars were frozen.

The coldest weather since 1899 was registered here during the night when the thermometer registered 3 degrees below zero. Much inconvenience as well as damage to automobile radiators and water pipes was reported Saturday morning.

## FIVE GUILTY PLEAS IN DISTRICT COURT FRIDAY MORNING

The following pleas of guilty were entered by the stockholders of the district court Friday morning and the sentences imposed by the jury were pronounced by Hawkins Scarborough, district judge:

J. B. Lynch, Dallas, car theft, two years.  
J. C. Medford, Waco, car theft, 5 years suspended sentence.  
Charles T. Patterson, Fort Worth, 5 years suspended sentence, on a forgery indictment.

J. O. Harrison, swindling, two years.  
Marvin Collins, negro, forgery, two years.  
The jury for the week was excused.

## Dawson Lumber Co. Elected Officers

DAWSON, Jan. 17.—(SP)—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Dawson Lumber company Tuesday, the following directors and officers were elected: J. R. Graham, president; Major Davis, vice president; P. Smith, secretary; L. W. Edwards, manager; and E. B. Dawson, J. L. Bell and C. C. Dawson, directors.

A ten per cent dividend was declared.

## Aged Resident of Rodney Passes Away

DAWSON, Jan. 17.—Mrs. S. G. Wiley, aged 80 years, died in the Rodney community last Saturday and the funeral was held Sunday with interment in the Broad Tree cemetery.

Surviving are six children, nine-teen grandchildren, twenty-seven great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

## Young Woman Dies Southwest Dawson

DAWSON, Jan. 17.—(SP)—Mrs. Dorothy Perkins, 18, died at the home of her father, W. Merchant, in the Stansell community, several miles southwest of Dawson, on Monday night, and the funeral was held at Dover Tuesday afternoon.

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## Alleged Army Deserter Held Here Saturday

Holmond Hickman, aged about 22 years, was arrested by local officers and turned over to county officers Friday and lodged in the county jail.

Local officers state that he is wanted in Jefferson Barracks for alleged desertion from the army, and it is expected that he will be taken to San Antonio, the nearest army post, and turned over to government officials.

His home is in Pennsylvania.

## CABBAGE TO BE MADE ONE OF BIG FREESTONE CROPS

DONIE, Freestone County, Texas, Jan. 17.—(Sp.)—Plans are being made here to plant a large quantity of cabbage this year. Last year the farmers planted their cabbage too late to get a good price, but will attempt to meet the earlier market this year. T. O. Fall, druggist, is ordering the plants and will market the crop for the farmers co-operatively.

A number will plant early potatoes again this year. A meeting of the farmers is to be held soon to discuss plans.

N. C. Lancaster, county commissioner, has been using the county tractors and machinery to assist farmers in leveling their lands.

Local farmers are saying that a snow in the winter would be a good price, means a good crop the following summer, and the past winter has been one of the coldest on record, with heavy snows.

## FROST BANKS NAME OFFICERS FOR YEAR AT ANNUAL MEETING

FROST, Jan. 18.—(Sp.)—The annual meetings of the stockholders of the two banks were held here this week and officers and directors were elected for the ensuing year.

The stockholders of the First National Bank elected the following directors: John W. Matlock, S. F. Jones, J. C. Beck, Carrol Young, F. C. Lancaster, H. T. Rogers.

The directors then elected the following officers: John W. Matlock, president; S. F. Jones, vice president; John C. Beck, active vice president; and Carrol Young, assistant cashier.

The following directors were elected by the shareholders of the Citizens State Bank: A. H. Strain, R. F. Shaw, Y. H. Greer, J. F. Slater, H. P. Ross and J. A. Tullis. The directors elected the following officers: J. M. Scott, president; A. H. Strain, vice president; R. F. Shaw, active vice president; G. L. Haley, cashier; J. B. Strain, assistant cashier.

## Dawson Man Dies Following Stroke

DAWSON, Jan. 17.—(U)—Jim Moore, aged 47 years, died at his home here Sunday afternoon a few hours after suffering a stroke of paralysis, and the funeral was held Monday afternoon with interment in the Dawson cemetery. He had resided in Navarro county practically all of his life.

Surviving are his wife, four brothers and six sisters.

## BARRY STORE BURGLARIZED

SPRING GROVE, Jan. 17.—(SP)—A burglary was committed at the Barry store last Friday night and a few dollars were taken from the cash register. A look on the front door was cut off by the burglar, and the money amounted to about five dollars.

## BAPTIST TO MEET

KIRVEN, Jan. 17.—(Sp.)—The Freestone-Leon Baptist workers council will be held here January 21, with Rev. E. B. Rogers, pastor, presiding. It will be an all-day meeting with luncheon at the church served by the women.

## FRACTURES SHOULDER

BLOOMING GROVE, Jan. 17.—(SP)—John Carlin's shoulder was reported during the day as broken a few days back in this community. Charlie Smith, fell, fracturing his left shoulder, but he is not in a serious condition.

## PAINS Went Away

"I was very much run-down in health. I had a dreadful ache across the middle of my back. I had a dull, tired feeling, and I dreaded the thought of having to do my household tasks. I was tired when I got up in the morning. I got no rest from my sleep, and I was sleepy all day long."

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## TEXAN PREDICTS HOUSE WILL BACK SENATE ON SUGAR

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—(U)—The senate today rejected the Howell proposal to grant a federal bounty to continental sugar growers and refiners of 44 hundredths of a cent pound.

The vote was 53 to 22. The bounty amendment was supported by five democrats, the farmer labor senator, Shipstead of Minnesota, and 16 republicans.

The roll call follows:  
For the bounty:  
Republicans: Allen, Black, Borah, Brookhart, Capper, Frazier, Hatfield, Howell, Johnson, Jones, La Follette, McClure, McPherson, Norris, Nye and Schall—16.  
Democrats: Broussard, Dill, Kendrick, Ransdell and Wheeler—5.

Farmer-labor: Shipstead—1.  
Total 22.  
Against the bounty:  
Republicans: Bingham, Couzens, Duggan, Fess, Gillette, Glenn, Goff, Green, Granger, Hale, Herbert, Keane, Keyes, McCulloch, McNary, Metcalf, Moses, Oddie, Patterson, Phipps, Robison, Shortridge, Smoot, Sullivan, Watson of Idaho, Vandenberg, Vannoy, Walcott, Waterman and Thomas—30.  
Democrats: Ashurst, Barkley, Bleasde, Bratton, Brock, Connally, Fletcher, George, Glass, Harris, Harrison, Hawes, Hayden, Hoffman, McKellar, Overman, Sheppard, Simmons, Smith, Steak, Swanson, Walsh of Massachusetts and Walsh of Montana—23.

Senator Broussard, democrat, Louisiana, then endeavored to obtain an immediate vote on his proposal to restrict duty free sugar imports from the Philippines, but Senator Borah, republican independent, Idaho, objected.

Borah said he wanted to give the amendment some consideration before permitting a vote.

## WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—(U)—The senate's unhesitated refusal to increase the present tariff rates on this sugar was followed by a terse prediction from Representative Garner of Texas, house democratic leader, that the house would back up this action if the republican chiefs in that chamber would permit a vote on the question.

Garner estimated a ballot in the house would disclose a majority of between 50 and 75 members supporting the present rates as against higher rates originally approved by the house and those recommended by the senate finance committee.

The Texas a republican aroused immediate interest in the capitol. It was regarded in some quarters as indicating he would attempt to line up the 155 democratic votes for the senate revisions, most of which have been effected by senate democrats in combination with independent republicans.

Some foresaw that even if Garner were unable to obtain any republican support a militant democratic minority would strengthen the hand of the senate coalition at the conference table at which changes in the tariff rates would be made.

The house in sending the tariff bill to the senate approved a rate of 240 cents per pound on Cuban sugar and a 3-cent rate on world sugar. The senate finance committee recommended a substitute tariff of 220 on Cuban and 275 on that imported from other nations. The senate yesterday voted to maintain the present rate of 175 on Cuban and 220 on world sugar.

## Smoot Will Again Seek Sugar Hike

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—(U)—The senate finance committee today substituted a tariff of 220 on Cuban and 275 on that imported from other nations. The senate yesterday voted to maintain the present rate of 175 on Cuban and 220 on world sugar.

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A medical authority says that a person who tries to cover up skin blemishes and pimples with toilet creams and powders is just as foolish as an ostrich that buries its head in the sand to avoid danger. Skin eruptions are nature's warning that condition is favoring poison in your blood stream and weakening your whole constitution. Remove the constipated condition and you will strengthen your system against disease and clear up your disfigured skin. The best way to do this is with a course of Herbine, the vegetable medicine that acts naturally and easily, which you can get at JOHNSON DRUG CO.

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## Gunter Suffers Loss of \$60,000 As Result Fire

GUNTER, Jan. 18.—(U)—Fire originating in the City Meat Market here today destroyed four frame buildings and forced five firms out of business with a loss estimated at \$60,000. Gunter is in Grayson county, 20 miles south of Sherman.

Besides the city market, losses were sustained by Campbell and Company, dry goods and groceries; the Orange Cafe, Gunter Drug company, and E. F. Sharpe's insurance office. The loss was only partially covered by insurance.

## Man Freezes After Being Hit By Auto

PAMPA, Jan. 17.—(U)—Struck by a hit and run motorist last night, F. A. Parks, formerly of Amarillo, was left on the streets of Pampa to freeze to death last night. Found this morning, unconscious and nearly frozen, Parks died shortly after being taken to a hospital. A stiff wind which blew up the snow in eddies was believed by officers to have blinded both the victim and the driver.

Chairman Smoot of the senate finance committee served notice in the senate today that he would propose the amendment to the tariff bill calling for an increase in the duty on Cuban sugar from 175 to 2 cents a pound.

The Utah senator said he would ask a vote on his proposal before the final roll call on the tariff bill. The proposed increase to 2 cents a pound would be in the nature of a compromise between the tariff duty of 176 cents, approved yesterday by a senate vote of 48 to 28, the 220 cents originally recommended by the senate committee, and the 240 cent rate carried in the house bill.

Calling attention to reports that a toast was drunk to the senate at the Cuban embassy yesterday at the senate vote, smoot said: "No toast was drunk by the people in this country who are going to lose all under this tariff."

Bad weather has put collections of city taxes about \$75,000 behind the usual total at this time of the year. City Tax Assessor and Collector W. F. Scale reported Friday afternoon.

In order to assist the taxpayers in every way possible, Mr. Scale called the attention of the taxpayers to the fact that they may pay their taxes by check and save a trip to the city hall. He stated that his office would be glad to furnish any citizen with the amount of their taxes, if they desired to mail in a check.

This procedure would aid considerably in avoiding the last minute rush that usually marks the period few days of the tax paying period.

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## THE LESSON OF FRANKLIN.

The anniversary of Benjamin Franklin's birthday, is, quite appropriately, also, one day of National Thrift Week.

We say quite appropriately because of all the many virtues possessed by Franklin none of them is more worthy of emulation by the people of this day and generation than the practice of thrift—a practice which enabled him to start as a poverty-stricken tramp printer and end his days as one of the wealthiest and most influential men of his time.

One might properly ask, "What is thrift?" and "Why do they start a campaign to try to persuade me to start a bank account, own my own home, make a budget, carry life insurance, pay my bills and make a will?" These are fair questions and here is a fair answer:

"Thrift is vision. Vision is thrift."

At times the idea of starting a bank account or taking out life insurance or buying your own home, or making budgets, or wills, occurs to all of us, but, with our usual human frailty and procrastination, we lack the quality of decision and determination to crystallize the idea into concrete action.

Therefore, a number of nationally prominent men and women have banded themselves together to concentrate the minds of Americans on the things we ought to do—things that we owe to ourselves and to our relatives to do—and for the next seven days they will preach the gospel of thrift, which is the gospel of good sense, so as to focus our attention on our plain duty.

Throughout National Thrift Week you will find the bankers, insurance men, real estate dealers and others whose advice you will need ready and willing to be of unusual service to you. And—don't forget that friend wife is one of the greatest little financiers in all this world, and that she can give you a tremendous lift when it comes to making up the family budget.

## WE EQUAL THE WORLD.

There is a constant increase in the production and use of electricity in the United States. The increase of the past year over that of the previous year was more than nine billion kilowatt-hours, and the total production was 97 billion. Billions don't mean much to the average person, and perhaps kilowatt-hours mean less, but it is significant to anyone that the United States used as much electricity as all the rest of the world combined.

For in these modern days the figures indicating the amount of electrical production are a pretty accurate index of living standards and prosperity. The energy of the live wire vitalizes all industry. Through the medium of the electric current, falling water and burning coal expend their force in brightening homes, preparing food, effecting transportation, turning factory wheels and in thousands of other salutary ministrations. Along with this goes also the tremendous volume and variety of business engaged in producing, distributing and servicing electrical devices.

The story of electricity is indeed a thriller of the first magnitude.

An English clergyman predicts that the next war will be between men and women, and Charley, the neighborhood Romeo, says he will be ready at the call, to enlist as a spy.

It's election year but let's remember the big snow when we start to get hot under the collar defending our favorite candidate.

## SHALL WILDERNESS GO

There is, to be sure, an extremist utilitarian school of thought that believes that every tree must be cut when it matures, that every flower and blade of grass must be turned into mutton, that every ounce of mineral must be extracted from the earth, and that every waterfall and dam site must be equipped with electric turbines.

Like all other extremists, however, they over-simplify a complex situation and sometimes forget that "man can not live by bread alone," writes Ward Shepard of the U. S. Forest Service in Nature Magazine of Washington. Varying human needs including the spiritual, must be provided for.

The immediate threat to the remaining National Forest wildernesses, then, is not lack of legal authority to preserve them, nor the pressure of more utilitarian demands, but the rapid invasion of roads. It is on this danger that the Forest Service is concentrating its present effort.

It is working out a policy of withholding roads from areas primarily of wilderness value, unless roads are needed for fire protection or for other urgent reasons, and of withholding permits for recreation structures of any kind within such areas.

But regardless of the official policy of the Forest Service, can such wilderness areas be permanently preserved against other competing demands? The answer depends on the force and articulateness of the demand for wilderness areas. In the present stage of American civilization, the demand for preserving wilderness remnants comes from a minority, but a minority with a well-defined point of view and philosophy of life.

According to this view the wilderness is a priceless heritage that has had much to do with molding the character of America and that even as a place of recreation will help to instill qualities of independence and self-reliance.

But above all these things, the wilderness yields a special quality of pleasure and satisfaction that can be found in only one other part of the globe—the sea. This minority of outspoken wilderness enthusiasts believes there will be a steadily growing demand for natural recreation as the American people continue to cultivate their fondness for outdoor life and become bolder and more independent in their ways of seeking it.

There is a new machine capable of exerting 600,000 pounds pressure to the square inch. It should do well in Pennsylvania politics.

Because it is good news, this paragraph never grows old: Peace has broken out again in China.

## JANUARY IS TIME TO LOOK AT SKY.

Now is the time to look at the stars. January evening skies in the northern hemisphere surpass all others in beauty says Nature Magazine, of Washington. At no other time of year are there so many stars of first and second magnitude above the horizon at the same time.

In the eastern half of the sky we have Capella, closely attended by The Kids, close to the meridian at the time for which the sky map is given. Gemini has climbed half-way up from the horizon to the zenith.

To the southwest of Gemini is Orion, facing Taurus. The Bull, on the northwest, and followed by Canis Major and Canis Minor, The Great Dog and Lesser Dog, readily identified by the Dog Stars, Sirius and Procyon. Andromeda and Pegasus now fill most of the western sky.

In the northwest will be found the royal pair Cassiopeia and Cepheus, directly west of Capella, and now nearly overhead, lies Perseus, the legendary hero who plays the part of the rescuer of the maiden Andromeda from the sea monster Cetus, in that great celestial drama which involves these six constellations.

Perseus may be easily identified by the long curved line of stars which is known as the Segment in Perseus and is noted for its fine star clusters, and its remarkably variable star Algol, known as the Demon Star, which fluctuates in brightness in a period of about three days with the greatest regularity, due to the eclipse of the bright star by a large faint companion star revolving around it. Perseus lies in one of the finest portions of the Milky Way which arches high through the zenith in our latitudes at this time of year.

Directly south of Perseus lies that famous cluster of the Pleiades in Taurus and not far away to the southwest their companion group, The Hyades, in the forehead of Taurus, the brilliant red Aldebaran representing his fiery eye. Most of the southern sky, to the south of Taurus, is filled by that long winding line of faint stars which marks the course of the Sky River, Eridanus, which terminates far below our horizon in the brilliant Achernar, which means End-of-the-River.

Among the planets, Venus, Mars and Saturn are all in Sagittarius in the morning sky but too close to the sun to be seen. Jupiter is in Taurus, north of the Hyades and a magnificent object in the evening sky. This is an exceptionally favorable time to view the giant planet and his interesting belts and satellites in the telescope. Mercury reaches greatest eastern elongation on January 5 and may possibly be seen for a Plan.

## NO PUSSYFOOTING.

Prohibition is not one of those issues of which it can be said that presidents may forget them when referred to a commission. If that was President Hoover's purpose in naming his law commission, it granted him no more than a brief breathing spell. The question will not down as an executive problem demanding presidential consideration.

When the commission was appointed the public was led to believe or assumed for some reason that it would delve into every phase of the prohibition question from the eighteenth amendment to the last detail of enforcement procedure. Now Senator Jones and other dry leaders in congress want the work of the commission limited to the study of enforcement methods.

Were the commission to do the bidding of these few frenzied fanatics it would be sweeping the dirt under the bed and jamming the mutilated shape of the "no-ble experiment" into a closet. Do they think the odor would not spread?

What is required at this time in the interest of law and social, moral and political order is the simple and honest truth on what is happening behind the scenes of prohibition. The people want to know if the experts on the Hoover commission think prohibition the shortest and best way to national temperance, if modification or repeal come, if it is possible to enforce the Volstead act, and, if so, how. What has the cause of the dries to fear from such an inquest? If it does fear the light, then all the more reason why there should be more light.

When, and if, the rocket that travels 5,000 miles an hour gets under way, the Office Skeptic plans to be the party who made poor connections and arrived 10 minutes after the take-off.

The latest telephone novelties are a connection with a steamer at sea, and a long distance wedding of a Texas girl and an Ohian. Imagine getting a wrong number, and finding you have married the Leviathan!

We sure had a big Christmas—how do we know—our January bills tell us so in no uncertain terms.

Every man thinks he could have a better philosophy of life if he could move into Easy street.

A few days about this time directly after sunset low in the southwest, but this is not a favorable time to observe this planet.

And so the panorama of the heavens nightly unfolds itself, ever urging us toward the solution of the Great Plan.

## AVOIDABLE AIRPLANE ACCIDENTS

Loss of lives in the California plane accident is in itself a shocking disaster, and doubly deplorable because it was one of those avoidable tragedies that help to convey exaggerated impressions of the risks of aviation.

In this case two planes, maneuvering with a third in connection with the production of a movie film, collided head on, presumably through a misunderstanding of signals. The resulting crash, like many that occur in stunt flying, adds to the total of flying fatalities without having the remotest connection with the hazards of transportation by air.

When such accidents are considered they should be dissociated from those that occur in transport flying, which, though certainly not free from serious mishaps, is accomplished with a much greater degree of safety than may be popularly supposed.

To view the hazards in proper perspective we must weigh the fact, reported by Assistant Secretary of Commerce Young, that last year 16,000,000 miles were flown, against 10,673,000 in 1928, and 85,000 passengers were carried and 8,000,000 pounds of mail transported over scheduled air lines, as against 49,000 passengers and 4,000,000 pounds of mail in 1928. From 300 planes manufactured in 1921 the output of the airplane factories rose in 1929 to 6,000 machines. An estimate of 125,000,000 miscellaneous miles flown last year, as against 60,000,000 in 1928, was made by Mr. Young.

If every day was Sunday some people would work themselves to death.

## TUITION NECESSARY GET PRE-SCHOOL AGE CHILDREN IN NOW

At a recent meeting of the board of education, it was decided to admit children who will be seven years old on or before Sept. 1, 1930 at the beginning of the second term provided they pay a tuition fee of \$2.50 per month. H. D. Fillers, superintendent of the Corsicana public schools announced today. The superintendent explained that the object of this policy is to get the older children into the schools before the influx of six-year-old children next September.

If any room is overcrowded, Mr. Fillers said, those children who are seven in August, 1930, will be dropped, but if there is room for them, the entire group will be received. In event there is an overcrowded condition in the schools, he said, the youngest will be denied admittance in order of their ages.

Unless the children seeking admittance after school starts were seven years old on or before Sept. 1, 1929, or have been in school elsewhere during the year 1929-30, they will not be admitted.

Superintendent Fillers declared that due to the crowded conditions in the high school building, the low eighth grade pupils who usually enter their freshman year in the high school at mid-term, will be kept at the junior high school building. In order to accommodate the pupils in the junior high school, the physical education room and a locker room in the basement will be converted into classrooms, the superintendent pointed out that no one group of children will be kept in the basement rooms of the building the entire day.

## Corsicana Clerk Is Awarded Bonuses For Good Salesmanship

Luther A. Rutherford, clerk in the B. and J. store here, has been awarded several bonuses for selling more merchandise than any other member of that firm in the United States, according to reports received here Friday.

Mr. Rutherford has to his credit bonuses for selling more merchandise in each of the four weeks in December, 1929; one for the largest amount sold during the entire month of December; and three for having sold more during the entire three years the bonus system has been operated by the B. and J. stores.

Mr. Rutherford is well known in Corsicana, and has worked for the B. and J. interests for the past four years.

## Goes to Market For Dyer Stores

J. M. Dyer, Jr., has gone to New York where he will purchase stocks for the big J. M. Dyer store in Corsicana, as well as the stores operated by this firm in Greenville and Sherman. A full line of spring merchandise will be purchased on this trip, Mr. Dyer making several trips each year to the Northern and Eastern markets.

## HAND BADLY BURNED.

BLOOMING GROVE, Jan. 17.—(SP)—Luke Hearn, manager of a local skating rink, seriously burned his left hand last Saturday when the tent over the rink caught fire while the floor was being dried. A hole several feet long was burned in the tent.

## Nine Counties in List Be Considered In Road Contracts

AUSTIN, Jan. 17.—(P)—Nine counties are concerned in highway work to be discussed by various delegations with the state highway commission at its monthly meeting here Monday and Tuesday. Projects involved are highway 44 in Fayette county, Highway 33-A in Hardley, Hutchinson and Moore counties, Highway 116 in Grayson and Collin county, a proposed branch of Highway 84 in Lynn, Lubbock and Crosby counties, and the routing of Highway 1 through Toyah, Reeves county.

Sun want ads bring results.

## TURKEYS! TURKEYS!

Want to buy what Number One Turkeys left soon as possible. Will be shipping car hens each week and now is good time to sell your surplus.

## HATCHERY

Will open hatchery Jan. 13th and would advise you setting some eggs early and getting some early chickens. Have doubled our capacity this year and will try to take care of all your hatching in good shape.

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Farmers in Barry Community are selling each month Milk, Cream, Chickens and Eggs amounting to approximately \$2,000.00 through a co-operative plan which does not require the time for them to go to market.

Other communities in Navarro county could well afford to make such an arrangement in order to add to their income without loss of the farmers time.

## Corsicana Clearing House Association

First National Bank  
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The First State Bank  
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## Announcement To the Public!

We wish to announce to the public that we have added to our circulation department Mr. H. B. Pope of Navarro County, who will give his entire time in soliciting subscriptions to the—

## Semi-Weekly Morning Light



H. B. POPE

Mr. Pope is an experienced salesman and is well known throughout the County, having lived for many years at Pickett, Eurcka, Kerens, Drane and Frost.

Mr. Pope will cover the entire County in the interest of the Light and will secure both new and renewal subscriptions.

It is not necessary to say anything about the quality of the Semi-Weekly Light, as its continuous publication of over forty years with a growing subscription list speaks for itself.

The Light is better now than ever before with a number of expensive syndicate features, including a comic page and market reports.

These attractive, entertaining and educational features added with the news of the world, nation, county and community gives the subscriber all that could be expected.

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## WINTER'S RECORD BROKEN AS MERCURY GOES BELOW ZERO

### NEGRO UNDERTAKER FOUND BADLY FROZEN IN EAST CORSICANA STREET

Breaking all records for cold weather since 1899, the thermometer registered 1.25 degrees below zero at an early hour Saturday morning, as Corsicana, covered with a blanket of ice about an inch thick augmented with drifts of snow, shivered and shook from the discomforts of the unusual temperatures.

Only the "old-timers" could remember the previous occasion when the mercury dropped below the zero level, and they were not anxious to recall the experiences with stories of the "ten below" weather of Feb. 12, 1899.

Carl Stewart, negro undertaker, was found in a condition of frozen limbs and exposure. He was paralyzed from the waist down, and little chance was given him for recovery. He was found lying on the road on East Sixth avenue late Friday evening. No other casualties were reported.

**Starts With Driving Snow.**  
Starting early Friday morning, the thermometer registered a steady decline of about three degrees an hour from a temperature of 31 to the record of 1.25 below. Gusts of snow were swirling about by a driving wind that added greatly to the discomfort of the weather, and the fine particles of snow were driven through minute cracks and openings about windows.

By the middle of Friday afternoon the streets were covered more than half an inch thick with a coating of snow and ice that made travel difficult for both pedestrian and automobile. The slippery footing provided many incidents that were humorous to everyone except the person taking the tumble.

**Auto Hits Motor Car.**  
The first accident was reported late Friday night when a Buick automobile crashed into the Cotton Belt motor car at the Fifteenth street intersection, damaging both the motor car and the automobile badly. None of the occupants of either vehicle were injured. It was necessary to fire up a locomotive and the train did not leave until about midnight.

Streets of Corsicana were deserted Friday evening, as the swirling wind and snow made a warm room at home seem like the most desirable thing in the world. All of the garages were filled to overflowing with disabled cars, some with frozen and burst radiators, others with frozen headlights, frozen transmissions, differentials, oil lines and feed lines, and other ailments to which mechanical vehicles are subject in extremely cold weather.

**Plumbers Are Busy.**  
Saturday morning also added its quota to the disabled cars and blow torches were called into play by the dozens in starting recalcitrant automobiles. As soon as the temperatures started upward during the morning, plumbers began to catch their share of the work, the dozens in starting recalcitrant automobiles. As soon as the temperatures started upward during the morning, plumbers began to catch their share of the work, the dozens in starting recalcitrant automobiles.

Many unusual incidents were being told Saturday by each person added his bit to the composite story of the record-smashing weather. Many people reported that the pipes in their homes had never been affected before. A cold, ice-covered trolleys and tracks were causing interurbans to run in places ten minutes behind their schedules. Texas Telephone company officials were slightly apprehensive Saturday of damage that might result from the severe cold, and close watch was kept on trolleys and repair crews kept on duty constantly.

**Street Cars Delayed.**  
Street cars had had going of it during the night to ward off an intense cold. Police reported an unusual number of unlocked doors on business houses, but the majority of the store owners preferred to leave the doors open rather than venture out in the weather again.

Texas Power and Light company officials reported no trouble on their extensive network of lines Friday night and Saturday, but the Southwest Bell Telephone company was not so fortunate. Five trunk toll lines were reported down about eight miles north of Ennis early in the morning, and repair crews were at work mending the breaks. Other breaks were reported between Ennis and Corsicana, and between Corsicana and Waco. All of the lines between Ennis and Hearne were reported down.

**Little Real Suffering.**  
Although there was a slight increase in requests for relief from the Salvation Army and the United Charities, no unusual demand was reported. Several families needing relief were discovered Saturday morning by Mrs. A. W. Gunn, public health nurse.

Telephones at the Daily Sun office rang constantly Friday and Saturday as curious citizens asked about the actions of the thermometer. It is possible that people tried to call the office all during the night, but the weather man "froze" up about 11:30 and refused to answer any calls.

All steam trains were reported running from fifty minutes to an hour late Saturday as a result of the cold. The steam train from Hearne to Corsicana was forced to cancel its morning trip, and when rail employees were unable to get up steam. The train made its afternoon schedule. All other trains were running far behind schedule.

**Bus Schedules Suspended.**  
Bus schedules have been suspended for several days and only the smallest of motorists were attempting travel by automobile.

Livestock owners said Saturday that stock that were sheltered Friday night were not likely to have suffered severely, but they expected casualties among the smaller herds and weaker members of larger herds along with a considerable number of work animals that had been turned into pastures.

Thermometer readings bright sun. The thermometer started gradually from its sub-zero level early Saturday morning and finally reached 18 degrees about noon, but stubbornly refused to go above that mark. Weather reports indi-

## Entire State in Grip Severe Cold; Damage Livestock and Fruit

(By The Associated Press.)

Old Sol tried sturdily to thaw out Texas today after one of the worst freezes in the history of the state, which accounted for at least two deaths, much suffering and loss to livestock, truck gardens and citrus fruit.

No estimate was made of the livestock loss on the ranges of Texas, and of damage to truck gardens in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. In the latter section, citrus trees escaped damage, but some loss was experienced by owners of citrus fruit still on trees, while new tomato plantings were severely damaged.

In the area around Wichita Falls, it was feared hundreds of cattle had been frozen to death. Similar reports were received from the Panhandle and from West Texas. At least two deaths attributed to the bitter cold in the Panhandle were reported.

Under a bright shining sun, temperatures rose slowly today, but freezing weather prevailed over all the state from Brownsville in extreme South Texas to Amarillo in the Panhandle.

White Texas shivered in the unusual cold, and in some places a blizzard of greater intensity than the winter of 1899. Uniformity from all over the state reports were that the temperatures were lower than had been recorded since 1899.

Dallas, with temperatures 3 below zero, recalled that it was in 1899 that a five-story building here burned and firemen fought a blizzard at 8 degrees below zero. That building, after the fire, was described as a five-story icicle.

C. E. King, 81, and F. A. Park, 87, were dead. King died in his cabin on a projected railroad in the Texas-New Mexico line. There was neither food nor fire in his home. Park died from injuries and exposure at Pama after being struck by a hit and run motorist.

**Fight Cold and Starvation.**  
At Shamrock 140 persons were fighting freezing and starvation. They went there expecting to find work on a projected railroad, but found it would not open up for some time. Welfare organizations were attempting to care for them and provide food and shelter.

At Dallas the bread line at the Salvation Army was one of the longest in recent years, and many sufferers from the cold were given clothing.

Wichita Falls reported that many automobiles were in ditches due to dangerous highways. Josh Lee, professor at the University of Oklahoma, suffered from exposure in his automobile while traveling in a snowdrift in Pampa, Texas, to which place he was en route to deliver an address.

The spudding in of an old well on the Moore-Curtis tract, three and one-half miles north of the well, scheduled for today, was postponed indefinitely due to the weather, according to G. C. Foster of the company drilling the hole.

**Seven hunters are safe.**  
Seven hunters of Orange, Texas, missing for two days, suffered from exposure, but were safe in Beaumont last night after having found the remains of a trapper's hut in the marshes.

El Paso, already cold and the recipient of snow and rain yesterday, was prepared for the on-coming blizzard. A heavy snow storm from northern New Mexico.

Police at Corsicana reported a negro was found along a road in the eastern part of the city last night. The body was found frozen. A thick covering of ice on streets made motoring there hazardous, but no serious accidents were reported. Trains and interurbans were running slightly behind schedule. Trolley companies reported lines both north and south of Corsicana were damaged considerably.

From Port Arthur came reports of a east gulf coast had experienced a severe cold wave. The weather of the Port Arthur bureau, the mercury dropping to 12 degrees. Stockmen reported many cattle frozen to death on the beach ranches.

**Lake Wichita Frozen.**  
Lake Wichita, near Wichita Falls having a width in some places of more than a mile, and several miles long, was frozen to a depth of 12 to 18 inches. The depth to bear the weight of a man, while more than six miles of the upper reaches of Lake Kemp, than 25,000 acres, was covered by white ice. The surface area of the lake for the first time in its history.

Sweetwater reported livestock losses in that section of the plains country as the result of a 4 below zero reading on government thermometer. The temperature had risen to zero at 8 a. m. today.

At Mexia the temperature went to 2 degrees below zero today for the first time in 30 years. Much suffering was reported in outlying districts. A two-inch snow covered the ground.

Laredo and Webb county experienced another severe cold spell when the thermometer dropped to 12 degrees below zero from a maximum of 46 yesterday afternoon. No damage to crops was reported, largely because dry weather accompanied the freeze.

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Lake Halbert, city reservoir, did not freeze over Friday night, but city pump station employees stated that there was plenty of ice on the big lake more than had ever been noticed before.

Many smaller lakes and ponds in various portions of this section were frozen over early Saturday morning.

## JOHN W. BRADY IS CHARGED WITH MURDER OF GIRL

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A. Berry of Houston, attorney general of Texas when Brady was an assistant.

Berry, saying that to get a jury would be a great task, added that the defense had not changed its decision not to seek a change of venue.

District Attorney Henry Brooks, trying his first big murder case, won the first argument. It came up over the defense motion that the prosecution be compelled to produce a grand jury of witnesses and a record of what they testified. Judge Moore overruled Berry.

Meanwhile, Will Brady, brother of the defendant, and several more witnesses, bringing the Brady total to 93. They were Representatives Luke Mankin and Sam Hefley of the legislature. Doctors Goodall Wooten and J. W. Wooten of Austin; John Taylor and Don Bridges of Marble Falls, and James Callan, Sr., Menard ranchman.

**Austin, Jan. 20.**—John W. Brady, former judge of the third court of civil appeals and one of the most prominent attorneys in the state, went to trial here today charged with the murder of Miss Leahla Highsmith, 28-year-old stenographer, last November.

The last doubt that the case would go to a grand jury, after the defense failed to ask for a continuance or a change of venue. Instead, Brady's nine lawyers asked that the State be compelled to furnish them with a list of the witnesses, who had testified before the grand jury and a transcript of what they said. Disloyal attorney Henry Brooks objected and was upheld.

Brady, wearing a slate gray suit and with carefully groomed silver hair, seemed almost to fall as he stepped into the witness chair, sitting, to kiss his wife and his sister and sat down for a moment with a hand over his eyes. Then his brother, Will Brady of California, came forward and with downcast eyes.

Brady, former judge on the third court of civil appeals here, was so surprised and shocked by the charges and the press table had to be pushed back to the rail. He seemed to avoid looking back at the spectators and his brief glance about was toney.

**Crowds Fill Court Room For Trial.**  
COURT ROOM, Austin, Jan. 20.—This ancient court house was filled early with the curious today as John W. Brady, former judge of the third court of civil appeals, went to trial on a charge of the murder of Miss Leahla Highsmith, 28-year-old capital stenographer, here on the night of November 8.

Two Texas rangers appeared to help "general orders," they said, to help the sheriff and three deputies keep order. They anticipated no disorder, but were here "just in case."

A. G. B. Smith of Baytown, father of the girl, came to the court-house hoping to get a seat at the counsel table.

Brady's lawyer, her face lined and worried, arrived about 9 o'clock and took a seat in the district clerk's office. One by one, friends of the family dropped in to talk to her in whispers.

**Has Been Faithful.**  
The wife had gone to the jail twice a day to see Brady since the morning he was put there to stay until trial. She sat this morning in the jail, and she said she could see out of the frosted window and through the rain to the jail.

The prisoners became choked as the witnesses began to arrive. Among the many notables called by the defense here early were Gallego Calhoun, first assistant attorney general, and Eugene A. Smith, San Antonio, state highway commission under the Miriam A. Ferguson administration.

Just before 10 a. m. County Attorney Ray A. Anderson, adding the prosecution, revealed that the State had not had Brady examined by alienists. Whether the defense had could not be learned immediately.

Brady came into the court room along with the witness. He was wearing an old coat and a hat of faded pink.

**Blizzard Renders Roads Impassable.**  
AUSTIN, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Practically all highways into the Amarillo and Wichita Falls divisions were impassable today as a result of the blizzard. J. B. Early, maintenance engineer for the state highway department, said that the roads were impassable.

Although the snow and sleet was not sufficient in themselves to impede traffic, the accompanying blizzard, heavy and driving, which blocked the roads, made it impossible for the state highway department to maintain the roads.

The following Northwest Texas highways were reported blocked: Highways 5 and 75 between Amarillo and Rockwell; Highway 5 between Claude and Memphis; Highway 33 between Pampa and the Oklahoma line; Highway 4, between Amarillo and Perryton; Highway 34 between Pampa and Wheeler; Highway 5 between Wichita Falls and Childress. Several automobiles were reported stranded near Elberta.

Using tractors with grading apparatus, the engineers said they expected to have the highways open late today or early tomorrow.

## Drys Accept Challenge Of Wets In Proposal To Repeal Prohibition Law

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—(AP)—Supremely confident, congressional dries today snapped up the challenge of Senator Blaine, republican, Wisconsin, for repeal of the eighteenth amendment and passed the word they were ready for a vote.

Senator Borah of Idaho, a dry champion, said he welcomed the direct issue on the eighteenth amendment. He said he expected an amendment to be introduced in the Senate, and he thought it would be declared to be in violation of the constitution by the supreme court and would become null and void.

At the house side today, Representative Maas, republican, Minnesota, said he proposed to suggest a plan to the unofficial house committee on modification of the prohibition laws, looking to concentration on the work of the anti-prohibitionists.

He said he would present a resolution to the wet bloc at its meeting Monday to appoint a subcommittee to consider the repeal of the prohibition law. It was impossible to get the regular house committee to give consideration to any bill proposing a change in the present prohibition law.

**BROKEN VALVE IN WATER LINE FIRST  
SERIOUS TROUBLE**  
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Sunday morning, fifteen degrees above zero, would have been regarded as a heavy frost, but following immediately after the sub-zero marks, it was regarded as very mild for Corsicana citizens. The low mark for Sunday night and Monday morning was thirty degrees.

The mercury rose but little during the day and at 2 o'clock had not reached the 30 degree mark. A heavy rain fell during the day, at time reaching shower proportions.

Numerous cars were damaged as they skidded on the icy and telephone poles. One car driven by Angelus Andrus skidded out of control near the intersection of West Seventh avenue and South Street, and turned over on its side. Young Andrus received only minor hurts from the crash.

Power lines, telephone circuits, and railroad schedules continued to suffer from the rain and cold. A burst pipe on the second floor of the building occupied by Duke & Ayres resulted in considerable water damage to the stock of the department store Sunday night. No estimate of the damage was available.

The leaking pipe was discovered by Patrolman Blair, as he made his rounds, and after some trouble the leak was stopped.

**Selection of Jury To Consume Time**  
AUSTIN, Jan. 19.—(AP)—The hearing of the jury selection today shrouded many secrets as two batteries of the State's most brilliant legal talent lined up in some sections and extreme cold weather all over the state Friday night and Saturday morning, according to R. C. Sizemore, district manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone company, today.

Besides the jury, which is down between Bremond and Giddings, the principal circuits are: Dallas and Fort Worth to East Texas points; Dallas, Fort Worth and Wichita Falls; Houston to Austin and San Antonio.

Restoration of service is proceeding satisfactorily, Mr. Sizemore said.

**NAVARRO COUNTY PROJECTS BEFORE HIGHWAY BOARD**  
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The Texas commission also was to be in session today at Austin to open duplicate bills. The highway board of both states a month ago received bids on the two bridges and also on a bridge between Durant and Denison.

The Southwest L. E. Meyers company of Dallas was low on all three and was awarded the Durant-Oklahoma contract, but due to confusion in the contracts the commission was unable to re-advertise the other two projects.

Tom Green, Oklahoma City contractor, was low bidder today on the Gainesville structure at \$247,530.60. The Clinton Bridge company of Clinton, Iowa, was next low bidder at \$262,244.

The Vincennes Bridge company of Vincennes, Ind., was apparent low bidder on the Terral bridge at \$238,886. and the Standard Paving company of Tulsa next low at \$255,151.

The contracts cannot be awarded until after a conference between the two commissions.

**Low Bidders Announced.**  
AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—(AP)—The Vincennes Bridge company of Vincennes, Ind., and Tom L. Green of Oklahoma City were low bidders on two Red River bridges to be built by Texas and Oklahoma when the bids were opened today by the Texas highway commission.

Three bids were received on each bridge. The Vincennes company was low bidder on the Terral bridge at \$238,886. and the Standard Paving company of Tulsa next low at \$255,151.

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## QUORUM PRESENT IN BOTH HOUSES WHEN CALLED TO ORDER

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The governor said he would probably present other subjects from time to time.

Senator Ed Westbrook of Sherman and Archie Pharr of Benavides were the only absentees in the senate. Westbrook was marooned between here and Waco, and Pharr was in the senate, was expected tomorrow.

**Senate Recesses.**  
The senate recessed after the chaplain's prayer and the reading of the governor's call in order to conclude its session. Senate officers and employees were chosen at the caucus, which lasted for an hour before the session opened.

Bob Barker was reelected secretary. The senate also reelected Wendell J. H. Wooten, a W. W. Holt, sergeant-at-arms, and Warren Freund, doorkeeper.

The house voted to go in a body "at the earliest possible hour" for a trip of inspection to the penitentiary at Huntsville, the prison farms in South Texas. The resolution, adopted viva voce, provided for a committee of five, three from the house and two from the senate, to make the trip. Expenses of the trip would be paid of the contingent fund.

Governor Moody announced several days ago he would suggest that the legislature make the trip to the prison properties.

**New House Members.**  
Prayer in the house was offered by Chaplain J. C. Mitchell. Members were called to fill places in the house since the third called session, were sworn in as follows:

S. H. Alfred, Hill county, to succeed Ernest C. Cox of Corsicana; Frank T. West, Abilene, to succeed Jesse Shipman, Hamilton; Bowden Farrar, Waxahatchie, to succeed Elwin Geron, Waxahatchie; Arthur C. Johnson, Dalhart, to succeed J. H. Wooten, a W. W. Holt, sergeant-at-arms, and Warren Freund, doorkeeper.

Farrar, a member of the 39th and 40th legislature, made a brief speech.

Randolph Roberts of Sherman was elected sergeant-at-arms to succeed Joe H. White of San Antonio who held the place in many legislative sessions. He would be unable to attend the session. Roberts had served as assistant sergeant-at-arms.

**Two Bills Introduced.**  
Two bills for reorganization were introduced in the house, one by Representative J. F. Wallace of Teague, representing views of the majority of the prison centralization committee, and the other by Representative Harry N. Graves of Georgetown, who proposes to rehabilitate the Huntsville walls. They were referred to the administration committee.

The Wallace measure would appropriate \$500,000 for each of the years 1931 and 1932. The Graves bill provides for an appropriation of \$250,000 in each of the years 1930 and 1931.

The house adjourned until tomorrow after having been in session a little more than an hour. The governor's message to the legislature was read.

**Other Expected Subjects.**  
Proposals for state colleges, public utility regulation, appropriations and repayment of farmers in the pink boll worm territory for the money they have spent in eradication, and other bills were expected to be submitted at later dates.

Settlement of the boundary line between Oklahoma and the Texas Panhandle likely will come before the legislature. Governor Moody and Governor W. J. Holloway of Oklahoma will confer on that subject here Friday.

Three proposals for concentration of the penitentiary system have been advanced by members of a committee appointed to study the problem. The committee is composed of the nine prison board members and nine legislators.

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In order that the legislators may have a better grasp of the penitentiary system, Governor Moody will urge them to visit the system in a body. In the event the trip is made members of the legislature probably will spend Friday and Saturday in Huntsville.

Senator Pink L. Parrish of Lubbock headed the legislative committee proposing reorganizing the state prison system. The committee will be asked to place the fees on a graduated scale in accord with population, with the annual earnings of a county officer in a county of 200,000 or over, limited to \$12,500.

**Public Utilities Bill.**  
The city attorneys' Association will meet here Wednesday, to draft a public utility bill, acting under a promise from the governor to representatives of the association Saturday that he would submit the subject. A new regulatory state commission, the bill proposes, would be established under the proposal.

The house of representatives held a session today. Representatives were J. S. Magee, vice governor; S. H. Alfred, vice governor; Ernest C. Cox of Corsicana; Frank

## Shamrock Has Trouble Taking Care of Influx

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SHAMROCK, Jan. 18.—(AP)—Drastic measures to take care of 140 men and women who came here to work on railroad building projects only to find the work several months away were in order today.

Charitable organizations were feeding the people, who were out of work and unable to find anything to do because of the bitterly cold weather.

Large families were among the arrivals, which included an Arkansas family of 20 children. The Arkansas family was living in a one-room camp house.

The fifteenth child of a Missouri family was born one day after the family moved into a tent here.

Warnings were broadcast to others to stay away to avoid the possibility of freezing to death, or starvation, since covered ground. The thermometer was near zero and charitable organizations had difficulty caring for those now here.

**SENATE COMMITTEE TAKES UP PROGRAM  
BOLSTER PRO LAW**  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—(AP)—The program for bolstering the prohibition laws was taken up today by the senate judiciary committee and sub-committee were appointed by Chairman Norris to consider pending measures.

Senator Harris, Democrat, Georgia, a dry, went before the committee to urge his bill carrying out the recommendation of the law enforcement commission to give United States commissioners power to try minor prohibition cases.

The committee named Attorney General Mitchell to submit a report on this proposition, against which some opposition has appeared on the ground that it might be contrary to the constitutional guarantee of trial by jury.

Chairman Norris named a sub-committee, including Senators Steiwer, Oregon, and Hebert, Rhode Island, Republicans, and Overman, North Carolina, Democrat, to consider the Harris measure.

Senator King, Democrat, Utah, brought up his bill for transfer of the prohibition enforcement service from the treasury to the justice department, and recommended the law enforcement commission. A sub-committee including Senators King, Hebert and Waterman, Republican, Colorado, was named to consider it.

**Referendum Sought.**  
WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Asserting that "an experiment, noble or otherwise, prohibition has failed," Representative Mary K. Norton, Democrat, New Jersey, today introduced a resolution to amend the constitution to permit a referendum on the question of repealing the Eighteenth amendment.

**MIKE C. REILLY DIED EARLY MONDAY  
BURIAL ON TUESDAY**  
Mike C. Reilly, aged 73 years, long time resident of Corsicana, railroad flagman, died at his home, 112 South Twelfth street, Monday morning at 2:30 o'clock, and the funeral will be held from the home of his wife, Mrs. Reilly, Conception Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 with interment in Oakwood cemetery. The funeral services will be conducted by Rev. V. Graffeo, of the St. Catharine church.

Surviving are one sister, Miss Mary Reilly, and one brother, Jim Reilly, both of Corsicana. The funeral will be directed by the Sutherland Funeral Home.

**Man Released Here Not Wanted in N. Y.**  
Chief of Police Will S. Knight said Monday the report that Albert Gorman, arrested in Corsicana recently and later released, was wanted by New York authorities, was an error, according to his records.

**Will Attend Meet Hardware Dealers**  
H. R. McCandless left this morning for a meeting of the Hardware Dealers' Association of the Thompson Manufacturing Company, for whom he is a traveling representative.

**Duck Supper Given By J. D. Cunningham**  
J. D. Cunningham was host to a number of his friends for a "duck" supper at the Oaks Friday night. Wild duck and all the trimmings were supplied in abundance, and made the guests forget the rapidly dropping thermometer.

T. West of Abilene, vice Jesse C. Shipman of Hamilton; Bowden Farrar, Waxahatchie, to succeed Elwin Geron, Waxahatchie; Arthur C. Johnson, Dalhart, vice John H. White of Rogers, and J. T. Riley vice Ben Woodall, Marshall.

A successor of the late J. H. Wooten, a W. W. Holt, sergeant-at-arms, and Warren Freund, doorkeeper, was chosen February 4. All of the members who have been replaced resigned.

**Will Prepare Bill.**  
WACO, Jan. 20.—(AP)—A committee of Texas city attorneys under the leadership of John McElzear, Waco, met today at the Waco Hotel on Tuesday to prepare a bill proposing the regulation of public utilities in Texas. Announcement of the meeting was made by McElzear today after the meeting. He notified that the subject of utility regulation would be submitted to the special session of the legislature.







SPOKESMEN OF FIVE  
SEA POWERS READY  
FOR NAVAL PARLEY

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LONDON, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Preparation of the elaborate diplomatic and physical settings of the London naval conference which opens tomorrow were completed this afternoon with the American delegates playing a prominent part and battleships momentarily the abiding topic of discussion.

The Washington discourse that President Hoover was ready to move for battleship reduction was received generally as one of the most hopeful signs, and it was realized the offer must be conditional on what others are willing to do.

The British, who would be affected most, made no comment. The Japanese apparently were distinctly favorable. Great Britain already had indicated she would go far toward scaling down battleship fleets, but of course, on both sides the most difficult part of the reduction which would mean real parity.

**Italy Trouble Cause**  
Italy's evident purpose to stand out on her demand for parity with France, meanwhile, is troubling the delegation, and some lesser clouds are hovering above Westminster Palace where the conference opens tomorrow. Although the atmosphere appeared one of conciliation.

All but five delegations met this morning with Prime Minister MacDonald at No. 10 Downing street, agreeing on a program designed to avert the weakness encountered at Geneva in 1927 where actual discussions were left to minor committees. Hence the importance of the delegation themselves will constitute the real battle where the major decisions will be made.

Last detail of the preliminaries was called by the delegation at Buckingham palace late this afternoon to be received by King George who returned to London at noon from Sandringham.

**BY BYRON PRICE.**  
(Associated Press Writer.)

LONDON, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Heartened amid manifest dangers by firm handclaps and accolades from the five sea powers today completed in an atmosphere of tense expectancy preparations for convening tomorrow their history-making conference on limitations of ships of war.

King George will speak first at tomorrow's ceremony. He will be followed, in order, by Prime Minister MacDonald, Secretary of State Stimson, Premier Tardieu, Foreign Minister Briand, and Japanese Minister Takatsuki. The Minister of Defense Rafton of Canada, Minister of Trades Fenton of Australia, High Commissioner Wilford of New Zealand, Commissioner of the Navy of South Africa, and High Commissioner Chatterjee of India.

While the round of exchanges continued privately and negotiations entered their first public phase with summings in all delegations to a meeting at No. 10 Downing street and later to a reception by King George, events cast into clearer relief hourly prospective viewpoints of the new hold that it became evident that the Americans were ready to give practical application to President Hoover's desire to reduce to the lowest possible level, and attempt to reach a far-reaching offer to extend the naval holiday on capital ships, reduce their size and reduce battleship strength eventually below the level of the Washington conference.

**Beloved Plan acceptable.**  
There was every indication such a step would be acceptable to Great Britain, France, Italy, and Japan. Most of the delegates, at least outwardly, as to obstacles which was feared France and Italy might interpose on other phases of the negotiations.

Optimism expressed yesterday by Colonel Henry L. Stimson, secretary of state and head of the American delegation, conferred with Andre Tardieu, French premier, and Dine Grandi, Italian foreign minister, was reiterated today on every side.

Several new suggestions stirring today included the possibility that the Washington treaty virtually had been scrapped and a new accord substituted revising for a long term of years the ratios of all categories of ships. Another was that Germany should be invited to participate in any naval agreement, in view of her program of building cruisers.

**Optimism Expressed.**  
Much of the optimism so freely expressed on every hand appeared to have its origin in assurances given by the French and Italians after their week-end conferences with Colonel Stimson.

M. Tardieu describes his conversation with the secretary of state as engendering a very happy atmosphere for the beginning of the five power negotiations. He warned, however, that the conference tasks were just beginning. The French foreign minister said his first meeting with Colonel Stimson had been a very great pleasure and they "talked at length together and ascertained that both sides were in agreement on the points of view of the French and Americans held the spotlight in the pre-conference period, it was only one of the many cross-currents taking place almost hourly. These were being worked out between two formalities preparatory to tomorrow's opening in the house of lords gallery.

**Morrow in Limelight.**  
Colonel Stimson yesterday brought another of the conference figures into the limelight. He took Ambassador Morrow with him to call on M. Tardieu and Briand. Morrow made an enviable reputation as negotiator in Mexico City, and it seemed certain the Franco-American discussions would rest on his shoulders.

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**Costly Naval Bill.**  
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MacDonald Slated  
As Conference Head

LONDON, Jan. 20.—(AP)—The following official report on this morning's meeting of the naval delegates at No. 10 Downing street, was issued by the foreign office this afternoon.

"At an informal meeting at No. 10 Downing street this morning at which all of the principal delegates to the London naval conference were present, procedure for the conference was discussed and the following proposals unanimously adopted:

"That the prime minister of the United Kingdom should be elected chairman of the conference at the opening plenary meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 21, and that on completion of the speeches there, the conference be adjourned until 10 a. m., Thursday, the 23rd of January, when it will assemble at the Admiralty building. Wednesday would be devoted to consultations between the various delegations.

"The agenda for the meeting on the 23rd of January should consist of (a) appointment of the secretaries of the conference and (b) a committee consisting of all the delegates to carry out the main work of the conference and (c) a general statement by the heads of the delegations of the needs of their countries."

was forecast in the house today by Representative French, republican, Idaho, chairman of the appropriations sub-committee in charge of naval expenditures.

MID-TERM EXAMS  
IN PROGRESS WITH  
GRADUATION FRIDAY

Mid-term final examinations were begun Monday morning, with tests for the first and second periods being given Monday morning and afternoon, it was announced. Superintendent Fillers stated the second annual mid-term commencement exercises will be held at 7:30 in the high school auditorium, with Rev. J. W. Bergin, pastor of the First Methodist church delivering the class address.

With their numbers on the program will be a talker by Palmer Christman, valedictorian, and Miss Emy Nell Stroud, salutatorian, and musical selections by the high school girls glee club.

Miss Edna Slaughter, of Edgewood, Texas, a graduate of C. I. A. has been elected to the faculty of the high school and will teach history in the 1930 spring term. Mr. Fillers stated. He also said that Miss Elizabeth Blackshear, graduate of the local high school, had been assigned to the Robert E. Lee school as a part time teacher. Another teacher will be elected within the next few days to take a vacancy in one of the schools, the superintendent said.

**TIMSON CAZRES SECRETARY.**  
LONDON, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Secretary Stimson's view prevailed in his first open difference of opinion with anybody since he came to limit navies. He has won a golf match. He beat his opponent, Mr. Fillers, the secretary, who was clever at the first tee. He got a handicap of a stroke a hole.

**TO THE VOTERS OF JUSTICE PRECINCT NO. 1, NAVARRO COUNTY, TEXAS:**  
Thanking you one and all for your support heretofore given me for the office of new hold, I am glad to announce to you that I am a candidate for the office of justice of the peace, Precinct No. 1, Place No. 1, Jan. 1930. I promised you then, that if you, after careful consideration thought me worthy of the honor, I would bend every effort to secure the election of the office in an honest and fair manner.

I took the office, realizing that there were few people, realized all the importance of the office of justice of the peace, I at once began the study of a course, that I might be prepared to render such services as the office demands as to equity and justice to now have succeeded in that effort, I now ask you to decide.

There are many features to the justice of the peace office, and the office of justice of the peace, with some of which I would like to call your attention to: The trying of both criminal and civil cases coming in the justice of the peace office, the course of course is of great importance. Men's property and rights are involved in civil actions, and their freedom as citizens are likewise involved in criminal cases, and an officer who proposes to sit in judgment in either should be one who will carefully prepare himself for the performance of the duties of the office. There is a duty imposed on the justice of the peace that many people do not know or seldom think of, that I, in my experience have touched on, and that is, to act both as to the rights of defendants who are charged with offenses against the law, that do not come within the jurisdiction of the justice of the peace, and at the same time protect the State, and society in their rights. Much expense is saved the State, many times, when complaints are made by a person in violation of justice, and the case dismissed without incurring the expense of several days of the Grand Jury's time; and, on the other hand, if the State has a prima facie case, then the witnesses are brought in touch with the grand jury, without causing the expense of finding and dragging up a jury, thereby saving time and expense. I call your attention to these many angles involved in the duty of a justice of the peace, that you may acquire yourself to the best qualified aspirant to the office.

Asking you to please inquire into the manner in which I have conducted the affairs of the office, and if you think it has been so handled that merit approval, then express your approval by voting for me for the place again, and, on the other hand, if you do not, by continuing my studies, in the sincere effort to place the office on a yet higher plane of service to the people, to whom the office belongs.

**B. JORDAN.**  
(Political advertisement.)

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AIRLINER STRUCK  
HILLSIDE, BROKE UP  
AND THEN BURNED

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The sixteen met a horrible death late yesterday at Oceanside when the transport faltered down out of the earth, burst into flames and became a gasoline-fed funeral pyre.

None of the eight women and eight men aboard lived to tell the story, and all but three were burned beyond recognition.

Wingsmen, including a Western Air Express pilot who saw the tragedy, agreed the ill-fated craft had been fighting against a fog which forced aerial traffic to become dangerously low 200-foot ceiling.

Others who heard the crash and saw the flames hurried to the spot only to find a pile of red hot metal. Spectators could only stand by, knowing the plane's occupants were beyond the reach of human aid.

**Burst Into Flames**  
The great plane, apparently snagging through the soft soil many yards, breaking the cabin wide open. Seething in flames from burst fuel tanks, it spaled into a crumpled mass that parted not a single inch.

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**MRS. DORIS CANTILLON**, wife of Attorney Richard Cantillon, Los Angeles.

**MRS. IDA M. GROVER**, relative Mrs. Cantillon, Los Angeles.

**MRS. HANNAH GOLLISTON**, Fairhope, Alabama.

**MISS FRANCES JAMIESON**, Pasadena, Calif.

**EDWIN MILLER**, San Francisco, Calif.

**MRS. BENJAMIN MILLER**, San Francisco, Calif.

**W. W. PADEN**, real estate man, Los Angeles.

**EDWARD J. SMALL**, Los Angeles.

**CHARLES RAYBOLD**, Fairhope, Alabama.

**ELIZABETH SQUIBB**, Pasadena, Calif.

**BASIL RUSSELL**, pilot of the plane.

**FREDRIK WALKER**, assistant pilot.

**First to Reach Wreck**  
Two of the first persons to reach the wreck, Lieutenant Virgil Westbrook, army flier, and Police Chief Forest Eaton of San Clemente, were the first to reach the hillside at an angle and three of the bodies were thrown clear of the wreckage. The other thirteen were piled forward in the steel cabin.

Eaton said it appeared that in trying to land, the plane had hit the right wing had dipped and hit the hillside, hurling the craft sideways and breaking it apart in the middle.

"When the first rescuers arrived," said Westbrook, "they were unable to reach any of the thirteen bodies in the burning cabin. It was a roaring furnace. Metal parts of the plane were red hot. The wreckage burned for some time, and efforts to quench the flames were futile."

## Markets

**Local Markets**  
Cotton 100.00  
Cotton seed 50.00

**Cotton**  
Texas Spot Markets.  
Dallas 10.55  
Houston 10.55  
New Orleans Cotton Table.  
Jan. 10.55  
Feb. 10.55  
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SHERIFF AND FOUR DEPUTIES  
CAUGHT IN PROHIBITION RAID  
RICHMOND SATURDAY NIGHT

GALVESTON, Jan. 20.—(AP)—Sixty-four men, caught in a federal prohibition dragnet series of raids in Port Bend county near here, Saturday night and yesterday, today awaited formal hearing before United States commissioner here.

Sheriff H. W. Collins of Port Bend county, four of his deputies and a jailor were among those arrested.

All were held under blanket charges of federal law violation pending the filing of individual complaints.

Sheriff Collins was released on a temporary \$10,000 bond, but all the others were held.

They said they seized 4,000 to 5,000 bottles of 600 proof whiskey, two large stills and a quantity of other equipment.

Raymond Wisenheart, assistant United States district attorney, said he would proceed as rapidly as possible with the preliminary hearings before the commissioner for the first seventeen cases, including those of the officers, were heard.

The raiders included 31 federal men, called to Houston Saturday from all parts of Texas. They executed 13 raids in and near Richmond, mostly in a district known as "Mud Alley."

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**PALESTINE, Jan. 17.**  
(AP)—Two men were killed and six injured, two seriously, in a head-on collision of an international Great Northern passenger train and a locomotive running without cars, 37 miles west of Palestine last night.

John Hall, Palestine, engineer of the passenger train, died at the scene. He was struck by the head of the locomotive. The locomotive was run by a man named John Hall.

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## ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW STUDENT LOAN FUND IS ADVOCATED

### WOULD DEFER REPAYMENT DEMANDS UNTIL AFTER BENEFACTOR GRADUATED

FORT WORTH, Jan. 20.—(P)—Establishment of a new student loan fund at Texas A. & M. College, to be administered so as to defer until after graduation the date of repayment of money advanced to students who require outside financial aid to complete their education, is planned by the A. & M. Mothers' Club of Fort Worth and the Association of Former Students of the college.

Administration of the fund and selection of the students to be benefited by it would be left in the hands of a joint committee from the two organizations. Loans advanced to students would bear interest from the date of graduation. The fund would be created by individual subscription and perpetuated by using only the interest from the trust fund established.

There are at present two funds available to students of the college who find it necessary to obtain aid in defraying the expense of their education. One of these is a fund provided by private subscription and held in trust by authorities of the school, but the rules governing its administration effectively limit its usefulness. Mrs. S. R. Hoyt of Fort Worth, president of the A. & M. Mothers' Club points out. These stipulations require that loans obtained by the student during any school year must be repaid before he is allowed to register for the succeeding session. The other, created by the Association of Former Students, requires repayment of the loan before graduation of the student borrower.

### Funds Give Much Aid

Many boys have been aided by the two funds, Mrs. Hoyt says, but the curtailing of their use by the rules governing them leaves necessity for additional aid for worthy students. She enumerates the experiences of two boys who have come under her observation as instances of the good that may derive from them extending aid to students and the best opportunities that come from failure of the student to obtain aid when needed.

"The first example," she said, "is that of the son of a poor tenant farmer in the black lands of Central Texas who has been a regular or live in the college territory. So, handicapped at the outset, he purchased a tent, a cot, a few cooking utensils and an oil stove.

**Illness Interferes.**  
"Hunger and cold began to battle against his determination. If he studied enough to pass his course, he had to find sufficient time to earn enough to live. Then an illness sent him to bed for a time, losing a serious setback to both his earnings and his classroom work.

"It was alone and ill in his tent that the director of the institution's loan fund found the lad. The lad had not known that such aid was available to students. Provided with funds, he became an excellent student. Four years later he was graduated, and now holds a responsible position and is said to be one of the most promising young men in his line of business in Texas."

**One Lad Left Out.**  
"This lad," she said, "is one of four who grew up as companions, attended grade school and high school together, and were inseparable as playmates since early childhood. When they finished high school, three of the boys began to lay plans for going to college.

"The lad in question was left out of all these discussions, for although he was as ambitious as the rest, the poverty of his family did not permit the expenditures necessary to help him through school. Both his parents were handicapped by physical disabilities which prevented them from earning a comfortable living. The lad, however, against education had been created in his father's mind by the actions of his older son, who had run away from home soon after finishing high school.

"So, while his companions went to college, the lad went to work. He is now 21, and has gone about as far in his work as is possible with the equipment he has. Out of a salary that would be considered insufficient for spending money by most boys, he is supporting his family, and he has given up hope of ever saving enough to fit himself for a career of electrical engineering for which he seems to be fitted. The lad would enable him to earn many times as much as at present."

### FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRESENT 1. PLACE 2

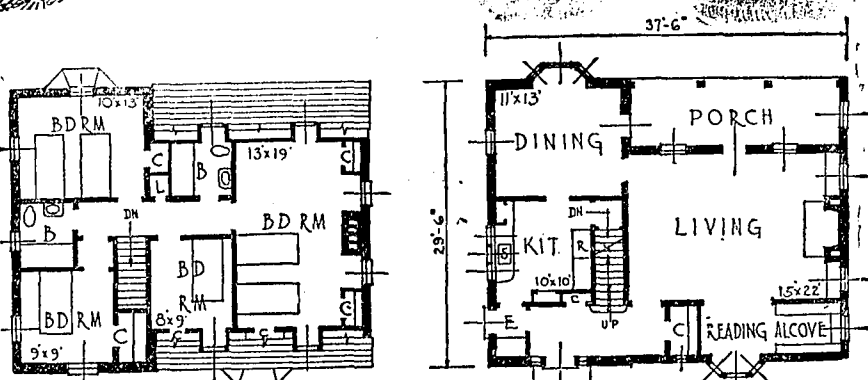
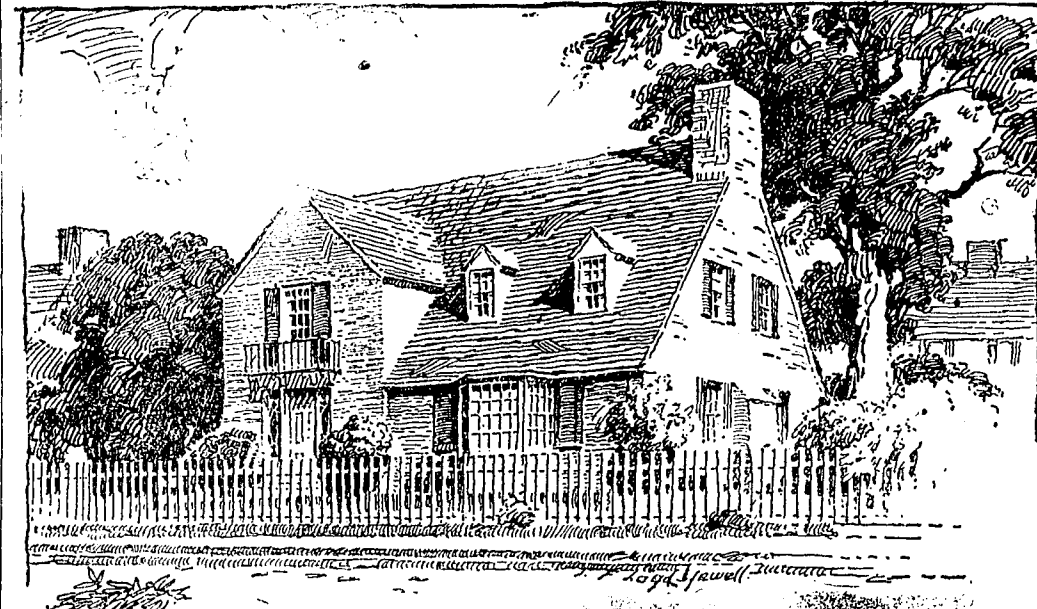
In another section of the paper will be found the formal announcement for W. W. Clifton, justice of the peace, precinct 1, place 2, as a candidate for reelection.

Mr. Clifton was appointed to this office to fill an unexpired term and two years ago was elected to the office, and he is now seeking second term. Mr. Clifton is well known in this precinct, where he has spent practically all of his life, and his friends feel that he is entitled to reelection, considering his experience in the conducting of the business of the office and the manner in which his office has been handled.

Judge Clifton's friends point out with pride the quickness and astuteness of business and trials are set down and trial, and are confident that should he be re-elected, the office will continue to be conducted in the efficient and business-like manner as has been in the past.

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## MAKING GOOD USE OF FIFTY FEET OF GROUND



### Court House

District court. The following have been summoned as petit jurors for the fourth week of the January term of the Thirtieth judicial district court for the week, beginning Monday, January 27:

W. W. Binford, Corsicana; David Daniels, Corsicana; A. M. Blackburn, Corsicana; H. O. Blanding, Corsicana; A. Douglas, Jr., Corsicana; G. C. (Guy) Hardin, Corsicana; H. A. Sowell, Corsicana; Ben Howard, Corsicana; G. C. Bowden, Corsicana; Joe W. Jefferson, Corsicana; O. M. Boynton, Corsicana; T. T. Kettner, Corsicana; W. L. Berry, Dawson; J. C. Easterling, Chatfield; R. S. Comer, Dawson; J. W. L. Garber, Chatfield; J. P. Hodges, Chatfield; W. D. Arnet, Kerens; J. W. L. Bain, Kerens; J. P. Banks, Kerens; J. J. Kent, Chatfield; T. P. Furra, Barry; T. B. E. Melton, Barry; J. O. Sessions, Powell; Tom Warren, Kerens; R. E. Grantham, Eureka; J. John Bonner, Eureka; W. T. Pritchett, Corsicana 4; T. A. Boyd, Corsicana 6; R. T. Caton, Corsicana 6; C. L. Dulaney, Roane; J. E. Bruner, Frost; E. L. Crouch, Frost; Rufus Massey, Roane; E. J. Hightower, Frost; H. J. Heathley, Frost.

The January term grand jury convened Monday morning to resume its work.

Ella M. Red vs. Oscar F. Red, divorce granted.

**District Clerk's Office.**  
The following were filed: Mrs. Addie Kennedy, complainant vs. T. J. Kennedy, respondent, application for conveyance of separate property.

**Commissioner's Court.**  
Clay Nash, county judge; J. N. Edens and Wm. O. Harwell, secretary of the chamber of commerce, were in Austin Monday to appear before the State Highway commission on road matters.

The scheduled special meeting of the commissioners court Monday was cancelled and bids received for the construction of approximately three miles from the intersection of South Fifteenth street and West Thirteenth avenue to a point on National highway No. 75 near Elm Creek, will be opened next Monday at the regular meeting of the court.

**Warranty Deed.**  
J. F. Stout to Fred M. Allison, part of block 319-3, just north of Post Oak creek between Eleventh and Beaton streets, \$2500.

**Marriage Licenses.**  
Willie Collins and Annie Mae Barton.

**Sheriff's Office.**  
A Mexican charged with vagrancy was turned over to Deputy Sheriff Jack Floyd Monday morning by the city police department. The accused man was lodged in the Navarro county jail.

**CORPORATION COURT.**  
Two charges of vagrancy, two of affray, and one of intoxication and disturbing the peace appeared on the docket of the corporation court Monday morning for the action of Judge H. S. Melear.

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## WOMAN LEADER OF HOOVER DEMOCRATS SEEKS POSTOFFICE

MEXIA, Jan. 20.—(Spl.)—An unusual political situation has presented itself to republican leaders of Texas with the application of Mrs. T. A. Kindred of Mexia for the postmastership here.

Mrs. Kindred, a state vice chairman of the anti-Smith democrats, a senatorial district leader and local chairman of the Hoover-democrats in last presidential election, has applied for the office now held by Isidore Newman, a regular republican.

Since Hoover-democratic leaders are interesting themselves in Mrs. Kindred's behalf, and local republican leaders are divided, it is said. The two are the only applicants for the place, and state politicians are watching with interest the bold bid of a democrat for a postmastership now held by a republican.

The present postoffice term ends March 15.

### Galveston May Get New State Hospital

AUSTIN, Jan. 20.—(P)—That the Texas State Psychopathic hospital would probably go to Galveston, if representatives of Dallas did not offer a more satisfactory site, was the announcement made today by R. B. Wadell, member of the state board of control, which will select the hospital site. A conference will be held today with C. J. Crampton of the Dallas chamber of commerce who declined to give out details of Dallas' new offer which he said he thought would be satisfactory to the board.

### FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

In another section of this paper will be found the formal announcement of Andrew G. Steele for reelection to the office of superintendent of Navarro county.

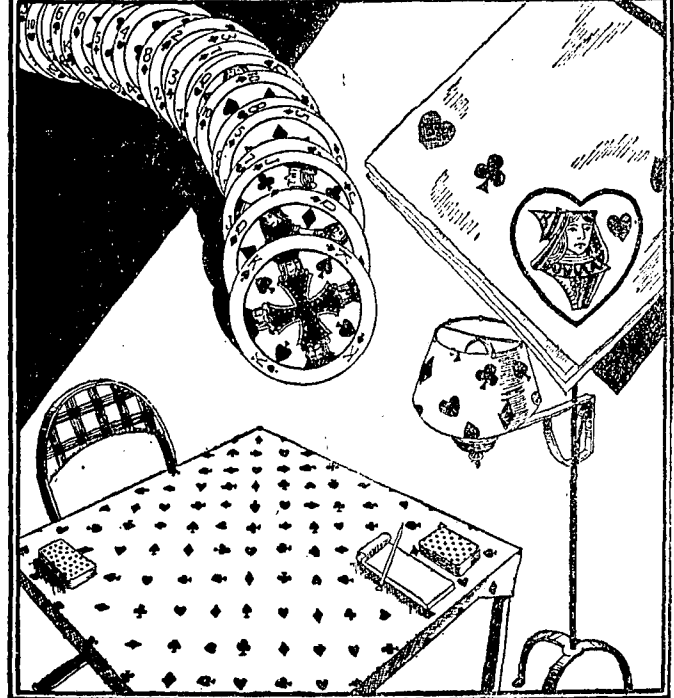
Mr. Steele's friends over the county point with pride in his administration of this office and the manner in which he has conducted the school affairs and problems of Navarro county since assuming his office, and believe that in view of the manner in which his office has been conducted, he should be returned to office.

During Mr. Steele's administration a large number of the rural schools of the county have been grouped into consolidated rural schools, and the benefits of high school near at home, and the superintendent has worked toward betterment of the common schools during his entire term as superintendent.

Prior to being elected to office, Mr. Steele was a school man, having taught in the county schools for several years, and his friends believe that with his close touch with the problems of the common schools of the county, and with the record of work he has done, that he should be re-elected. Mr. Steele has taken an active and progressive part in all activities and movements for the betterment of schools and school conditions and his friends feel that with his experience and many qualifications for the office entitle him to re-election.

(Political Advertisement.)

## THE RIGHT ATMOSPHERE



Playing cards provide motifs for interior decoration.

By MARGERY TAYLOR  
Interior Decoration Editor, McCall's Magazine. Written For the Corsicana Daily Sun

It just had to be, and now it is—the bridge style of interior decoration.

If home is a place to live in, and we can't live without "bridge," then we must have a bridge home. Perhaps you haven't reached the point where you will have the living room walls and ceiling painted with card motifs, but if you are fortunate enough to have a game room, you will find the new chintz called "Trumps," the perfect decoration.

It comes in an ivory, black or red ground scattered gaily with the familiar spots, and the red or black chintz would be very effective in draperies and a valance, perhaps, of three red diamonds.

But there is no need to be discouraged if you can't go in for the bridge atmosphere in a big way—there are always the accessories—china, ash trays, lamp shades and a hundred other things that will occur easily to all who breathe bridge. The chintz, for instance, can be transformed into a striking cover for the bridge table or for the score pad, or at least the match box. Incidentally, match boxes covered and shellacked, tied with red ribbon in half dozen or dozen lots, make appreciated (and inexpensive) prizes.

For those who still snatch time off for a bite, the bridge sets of China will help keep them in the proper mood. They are reasonable too, 12 pieces being generally obtainable for much less than \$10. The plates have an inch border of black or red, with a single suit motif in the center. The cups and saucers, also in black or red, are delightfully shaped like the suits. Harmonizing with these are the glass bridge ash trays, each with a spade, heart, diamond or club in the center.

For special occasions (as if ev-

## STARLING FOUND AMONG MIGRATING BIRDS HERE NOW

### MRS. R. B. MOLLOY GIVES INTERESTING HISTORY OF UNUSUAL BIRD

"Along with the unusual weather Corsicana is having, an unusual bird has migrated to this section," Mrs. R. B. Molloy stated Monday discussing the bird situation in Corsicana. Mrs. Molloy is a great student of birds and has been very active in the Corsicana Nature Study club since its organization.

"Friday morning when I put water and food out for the robins and Cedar Wax Wings I noticed other birds in the flock. By looking closely with my field glasses I found them to be Starlings," Mrs. Molloy continued. "This is the second time I have seen these birds in Corsicana within the past eight years. My sister saw a few about seven years ago."

"The Starling (*Sturnus Vulgaris*) was brought to New York City in 1890," Mrs. Molloy pointed out. "He, like the English Sparrow, was brought to this country to destroy insects that were destroying the orchards of the Eastern states. Only sixty were brought over but they have multiplied so rapidly and spread into an ever widening territory that they are becoming very dangerous. The greatest danger is to the native birds, blue birds, crested flycatchers, wrens, swallows, and flickers all nest in cavities as does the Starling. 'Starlings can be taught to whistle and imitate sounds and even to speak. The general color is dark blue, tinted with purple and with metallic luster. The whole bird is streaked and spotted with buff or light tan,' Mrs. Molloy said in describing the bird.

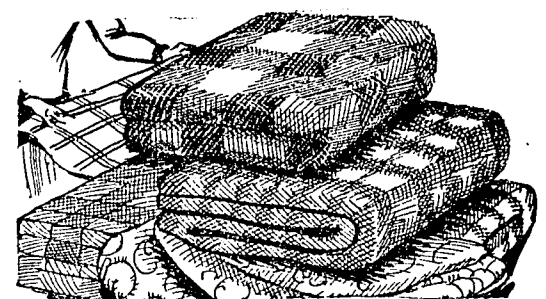
Mrs. Molloy also said the robins had been well taken care of but that boys continued to kill the birds which she regretted very much.

### Two Negro Children Are Burned to Death

BRADY, Jan. 20.—(P)—Two small negro children were burned to death last night in a fire which destroyed a servant's house in which they were living. They were children of Ruby Wilson, a mechanic. The fire was believed to have been caused by an overheated oil stove.

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